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President Harrison and His Advisers Discuss Cholera at the White House.

The President Thrown Out of a Wagon and Shaken Up—More Cholera Coming.

Disastrous Smashup on a New York Railroad—The Schooner Arago and the Corwin.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Sept. 1.—President Harrison, Attorney-General Miller, Secretary Chas. Foster, Assistant-Secretary Spaulding, Dr. Wyman, supervising surgeon general of the U.S. marine hospital service, were in conference at the executive mansion at noon to-day considering the cholera situation. Private Secretary Halford while the conference was in session said to a representative of the United Press that there was no likelihood of the president making a proclamation, nor was there any occasion for alarm. "The President has deemed it prudent to come here and personally confer with his associates on the cholera situation, and acquaint himself with what had been done, rather than to make it a subject of correspondence. The latter course would involve considerable time and labor, and not be nearly so satisfactory." The President, added Mr. Halford, "will remain in Washington several days, and longer if necessary, until everything that can be done is done to keep out the cholera. The President expressed himself during the conference, which lasted two hours, entirely satisfied with the steps thus far taken by all the United States officials. Our consul at St. Petersburg cables on Aug. 31st as follows: 'Shippers claim that it is impossible to disinfect wool and hides, as required by the treasury instructions of ships loading. What shall I do?. The treasury department is considering the matter and will make a reply to-day.'"

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 1.—As a result of the conference which adjourned at 12 o'clock, a circular was issued by the treasury department this afternoon and approved by the President, giving supplementary instructions to collectors of customs and marine hospital officers concerning further restriction to prevent the introduction of cholera into the United States. Additional inspectors are being appointed in the New England States and along the Canadian border. Medical inspection will be established at St. Albans, Newport, Richford and Island Pond, Vermont.

The Worst Yet to Come.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—It is expected that an even more alarming condition of affairs than discovered on the Moravia will be found to exist aboard the other vessels of the Hamburg line due in this port in a few days. The vessels are the crack passenger ships of the line, the Normannia, the Rugia and the Stuebenhuk are due on Sept. 3, the Fulda is due on Sept. 5th.

The President Ditched.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—On the drive from Ophir farm last night the President, Mr. Reid, Mr. Halford, Russell Harrison and the driver were in a light surrey. All went well until the lighted roads were left behind and the ride through the pitch dark woods began; there was no time to be lost and the horses were urged forward. The reporters in the wagon ahead burned their note paper in order to see where they were going. Behind the President drove Mr. Clarkson. There is a little bridge in the middle of the road through the woods. Just before this is a steep hill, and here one of the horses shied suddenly, the wheels of the surrey left the road and in a moment the President was thrown in a heap from the wagon. The cries of the President's companions alarmed those before and behind. Mr. Clarkson ran up with the reporters, but Mr. Harrison had already picked himself up and got into the wagon again. His clothes were stained and his ankle was barked. He took the accident very coolly, however, and it seemed to have no effect on his nerves.

Rushed to Destruction.

NEWBURG, N.Y., Sept. 1.—The fast mail train on the Hudson River Railway met with an accident at New Hamburg bridge to-day. The train was going at the rate of a mile a minute, and the bridge was just being closed after letting a steamer through. Several feet had to be closed just as the train reached the bridge. The engine jumped the gap, but the rear end of the tender dragged enough to arrest the momentum of the train. Then the mail car crashed into the tender, pushed it against the locomotive, and the rear end of the locomotive and the mail car were splintered to fragments. Engineer Joseph Owens of Albany and Fireman E. West of West Albany were crushed under the forward end of the cab and instantly killed. J. B. Kane, of Cohoes, N.Y., a clerk in the mail car, was also killed. Conductor Wm. Todd was injured about the head. John Hitchcock, trainman, had a finger cut off. Much mail matter was destroyed.

Electric Lighting Extraordinary.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 1.—The illuminations which were tried here last Thursday are regarded by electricians as an extraordinary advance in the science of electric lighting, and great interest is manifested in the first formal illumination of the city which will take place this evening. Of the 75,000 electric lights used, more than two-thirds are incandescent electric lights, and these are enclosed in globes of several colors and moved to and fro by electricity during the performance, producing a remarkable scintillation of an entirely novel order, and one that has seldom been attempted before even with gas illuminations. The total expenditure on the twelve nights on which the illuminations are announced will exceed $100,000, making no allowance for breakages, which, in the event of a storm, are apt to be considerable. Although the illumination last week is described only as a test, and was designed more to insure everything being in perfect working order to-night this city was crowded with guests. Visitors generally express gratification at the prominence given Columbus and his ships in the decorations and set pieces, and to many it appears as though the World's Fair had commenced this year in St. Louis.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Return of the Big Guns—A Gay Montreal Lawyer—Killed at Prayer.

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 1.—Sir John Thompson will return from his summer vacation on Saturday, and it is expected that Sir John Abbott, whose health is said to have been greatly benefitted by his trip down the Ste. Ann's, will leave on Sunday and come on to Ottawa on Monday.

From Hamburg.

QUEBEC, Sept. 1.—The Hamburg-American Packet Company's steamship Cremona from Antwerp arrived at Grosse Isle at noon yesterday, and as she was coming from a cholera-infected port, Dr. Montesambert required her to land some 334 bales of rags, which formed part of her cargo, before she will be allowed to proceed. The tug C. W. Jones and a batteau were sent down last night to land the rags. The hope is expressed here that the disinfection will be limited to rags, but the vessel and crew, as well as the tug and batteau, will be thoroughly subjected to it.

A Heavy Fall From Grace.

MONTREAL, Sept. 1.—J. S. Tait, a lawyer of this city, has eloped with Mme. Vian, wife of an employee of the Richelieu hotel. There is also a shortage of something over $900 in his accounts. He told some of his friends on Monday that he was going to New York.

To Inspect Quarantine.

QUEBEC, Sept. 1.—The president and members of the Board of Trade, the mayor and the local board of health, accompanied by the city medical officer and representatives of the press, intend to go down to Grosse Isle to-morrow, to see for themselves the condition of quarantine station.

Warships on a Visit.

QUEBEC, Sept. 1.—H.M.S. Blake arrived in port at 1.30 this afternoon, and the Magicienne at 2 p.m. Large crowds were on the terrace when the vessels arrived. No salute has been fired as yet. When the admiral lands a salute will be fired from the citadel.

Taken Away While Praying.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., Sept. 1—John Kearney, living two miles from Hastings, was killed by lightning in his house while kneeling at family prayers on Tuesday night.

An Aged Fire-Fighter.

MONTREAL, Sept. 1.—Ex-Chief Paton, of the fire brigade, died this morning, aged 71. He was connected with the brigade from 1850 to 1888. When the brigade was re-organized he was retired.

Fired on by a Cutter.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 1.—The cod-fishing schooner Arago has arrived from Sand Point, Alaska, with 90,000 pounds of fish. The captain states that the revenue cutter Corwin fired two shots across the schooner's bow as a signal to heave to while taking cargo in Behring sea and that she was becalmed at the time so it would have been impossible to try to run away, had he had any such intention. Capt. Cooper sent an officer from the revenue cutter on board and searched the cargo from stem to stern, and then allowed her to proceed, as no sealskins were found on board and the cruise was proved to be a perfectly legitimate one.

Up Went the Price of Coal.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—To-day a general rise of 25 cents per ton in house and chestnut coal is to take effect, this making the fourth time that the trust, which chairman McLeod said would cheapen the price of coal, has arbitrarily increased its booty. The fact that the Reading deal has been declared unconstitutional by the New Jersey courts will probably have little effect on the future action of the combine, especially as regards other states.

A Bloodthirsty Ruffian.

STEUBENVILLE, Ohio, Sept. 1.—Last night George Skinner, a farm hand, killed Geo Leitner, his employer, also fatally wounding Leitner's wife and her mother. He then placed the weapon, a pistol, against his head and blew out his brains. The terrible tragedy occurred at Leitner's farm house, three miles north of here. Skinner was discharged by his employer and took revenge upon the whole family.

Colina's Great Victory.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1—The Venezuelan sympathizers with Crespo in this city were made happy yesterday by the receipt of a cable despatch from Curacoa, which stated that General Colina had defeated the forces of Urdenata, Sarria and Casans, in a hot engagement at Coro, and had captured a large amount of ammunition and quite a number of the prisoners.

The World's Markets.

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Wheat easier. Sept. 7-8; Dec. 76⅞; May 82⅝.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Wheat easier. Sept. 78⅝; Oct. 88½; Dec. 83⅝.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Bonds 2's, 100; bonds 4's, 114¾ to 115¼; silver, 83½; Sterling 48 to 89. P. M., 30⅞; W. U. 95½; L. S., 132; N.Y.C., 111; Erie, 26¼ N.P.P. fd., 55; C.B. & Q., 97½; U.P., 37⅜; Reading, 56¾; Mo. Pac., 69¾; Nor. Am., 12⅜; Northwestern, 116½ to 185⅝.

Phœnix Lager Beer.

AUSTRIA HAS THE CHOLERA

The Fell Disease Breaks Out in the Military Camp at Bruck Near Vienna.

Lemberg, the Capital of Austrian Poland is Also Very Seriously Affected.

The Government Endeavoring to Suppress Information About the Outbreak.

VIENNA, Sept. 1.—Cholera has broken out violently in the military camp at Bruck, in lower Austria on the river Leytha, 22 miles southeast of Vienna. Already there have been 68 cases and 16 deaths. The government is doing all it can to conceal the state of affairs in order not to alarm the public and those who have relatives in the army. Telegrams from Bruck have been received and the facts have come to light in a round-about way. At Lemberg, the capital of Austrian Poland, Asiatic cholera is raging, and there are epidemics, dysentery and diarrhœa. The cases of cholera in Lemberg are known to be numerous and the deaths many. Lemberg has a large Jewish population, among whom the cholera finds many victims. The place also has a large traffic with Russian ports, and is an important railway depot as well as a military centre. The Governor of Lumberg is sparing no efforts to conceal the facts.

It is reported that cholera has broken out in the Russian garrisons at Warsaw and Skirnwick, Poland.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 1.—The official cholera returns for all Russia show a total of 1859 new cases, and a total of 2529 deaths. There is a decrease of 1286 in the new cases to-day, and of 212 in the deaths, and a mortality of slightly over 52 per cent. in St. Petersburg yesterday. There were 123 new cases there and 40 deaths. The figures for Tuesday were 155 new cases, 51 deaths.

The Situation in Hamburg.

HAMBURG, Sept. 1.—Official figures to-day state that there were 139 new cases yesterday and 45 deaths. The panic continues. Business is prostrated and the water front, usually the scene of bustle and activity, is absolutely dead. The falling off in the mortality as reported has given some hope that the plague has begun to decline. On the other hand entire confidence is not placed in the official reports and it is feared the improvement may be intermittent.

More Cases in Paris.

PARIS, Sept. 1. — Twenty-one new cases of cholera were reported in Paris last night, and ten deaths more from the disease. The people are greatly alarmed.

ROYAL CITY ITEMS.

Arrangements for the Annual Fair—The Fraser River Salmon Pack.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Sept. 1.—Field sport events during the exhibition will be the 100 yard run, 200 yards, ¼ mile runs open to amateurs. The entries to be made by September 22nd. A ball will be held in Herring's opera house on the last night of the carnival, admission three dollars. A press room will be fitted up in the exhibition building, where there will be telephone and telegraph services.

At the farewell reception retiring secretary Davie of the Y.M.C.A., was presented with a purse of $50.

It is estimated that 52,000 cases of salmon were canned by the Fraser River canneries this season.

Johnnie, an Indian, was charged in the police court this morning with being intoxicated. He said a white man gave him the liquor. The supplier of the liquor was ordered to be arrested, and he will be given the full benefit of the law.

The Canadian Pacific will give single rate fares between Calgary and New Westminster during the fair.

NOTES FROM NANAIMO.

The Effect of Booming—An Ineffective Dog By-law—The Coal Output.

NANAIMO, Sept. 1.—One of the leading merchants of Nanaimo informed a reporter that of late much harm has been done by an attempt to boom Nanaimo through the medium of the press. He claimed it has brought men in our midst, who conceived the easiest way to get a living was by starting a store by getting some of the wholesale men to allow them credit. He mentioned several who had started without a cent of capital and after running a few months "busted" up. It must be admitted his remarks are perfectly true and these small dealers have cut the trade so much that there is hardly any profit to be had in several businesses. Of course when a man has nothing to lose as a rule he is not particular how he sells and instances of this kind are only too often repeated in Nanaimo. The people who lose by these transactions are the wholesale dealers of Victoria and Vancouver.

Some months ago the city council made a great splurge about the dog nuisance and a pound was built and two men employed to attend to this matter. For a time the thing worked very well, but to-day it remains as though no by-law pertaining to the nuisance was in existence. Of the hundreds of the canine tribe in the city not one can be found to-day with a tag on it. One may constantly hear a tax payer ask, "Don't the council intend to enforce their by-laws?" and well they might.

The past month has not been so brisk as previous months of the year in the coal trade at Nanaimo. There has been a falling off all round, but of late a steady improvement has been shown, so it is expected the dull spell is now over. The shipments to foreign ports for the past month were:

New V. C. Company	20,419
Wellington	12,278
East Wellington	3,435
Total	36,133

Yesterday afternoon a boating mishap, which might have terminated fatally, was witnessed by a number of people at Departure Bay. A young man was rowing a boat in which were two women and two children, when, through changing places, the boat capsized. Fortunately the crew of the Louis Walsh saw the accident and promptly put off to their assistance.

The electric tramway in No. 1 shaft of the New V. C. Co. was in operation yesterday, and the working of it proved entirely satisfactory. It is fully expected that after to-day the coal from this mine will be brought out by this means instead of the old system with the mules.

Constable McDougall brought up a prisoner named Charles Pearson from Maple Bay yesterday, where he had been sentenced to three months' hard labor for stealing blankets. He was lodged in jail here to undergo sentence.

Messrs. Foreman and Campbell, boat builders, have announced their intention of giving a handsome prize for an amateur sculling race to take place within the next few weeks. The trophy is a piece of plate in the shape of a fruit dish, and it is expected the competition for it will be keen.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

LACROSSE.

VICTORIOUS JAMES BAYS.

The national game is a hot favorite among the small boys, and there are now no less than four junior clubs in the city. Yesterday afternoon two of these clubs, the James Bay juniors and the Blue Bells met at Beacon Hill and played a lively match, resulting in a victory for the Bays by four goals to one. This is the second time the Bays have defeated the Bells.

WILL HAVE TO CHANGE A DATE.

The proposed match between the Victoria and Westminster intermediates will not come off on Saturday the 10th, as it would conflict with the Victoria Jockey club meet. An effort will be made to arrange the match for the 17th.

ATHLETICS.

FIELD DAY AT SEATTLE.

The first annual field day of the Seattle Field Club will be held at the club grounds, September 3, at 2:30 p.m. The games will be handicap events, and run under the rules of the Amateur Athletic Union, and will be open to amateur athletic clubs, the National Guard Clubs of the North American Turn Bezirk; and institutions of learning. All entries must be made in regular form on entry blanks supplied by the Field Club, and endorsed by the captain or secretary of visiting athlete's club. Entries closed Wednesday, Aug. 31st. The following are the events: 100 yard run, 150 yard run, 220 yard run, 440 yard run, 880 yard run, one mile run, pole vaulting, running high jump, putting 16lb. shot, throwing 16lb. hammer, throwing 56lb. weight, running long jump, 120 yard hurdle, 220 yard hurdle.

An invitation to participate was received by the James Bays, but no one will go over from here.

AT THE CLUB.

THE FRIENDSHIP THAT COUNTS.

Mr. J. M. Maurice, who lately returned from a short visit to England, takes deep interest in all branches of athletic sports, and shows his appreciation in a tangible manner. Yesterday the management of the James Bay Athletic Association were surprised and delighted to receive a couple of splendid framed engravings to be hung in the card room of the club, with the compliments of Mr. Maurice. A suitable acknowledgement was sent Mr. Maurice for his beautiful gift, and the pictures now form the principal embellishment of the recreation room. It may be stated, *en passant*, that there is quite a large area of bare wall in the card room which could be most acceptably filled in a similar manner. It is a pleasant way for a friend of the club to show his (or her) appreciation of the club's good work. Secretary Jones will duly acknowledge all such favors.

THE RING.

THERE WILL BE NO DRAWS.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 1.—The recent discussion as to chances of draws and the disposition of wagers in the event of unfinished fights has caused considerable anxiety. According to President Noel there will be no draws. He said to-day: "I do not know what has given rise to this talk. The rule of the Olympic Club is that every fight in its arena shall be a fair, stand-up contest to a finish. We have never had a draw, and do not provide for them. As long as one man is willing the contest must proceed. The club's referee will have no authority to order a draw. "But suppose both fighters want to draw?" was asked. "That will not happen in these fights, The purses are for finish fights. The public may rest assured that in each of the three contests a winner will be declared.

TENNIS.

FINISH OF THE MATCHES.

The Victoria Tennis Club's tournament was brought to an end yesterday afternoon, the final in the club handicap being played between H. Coombe and C. J. Prior. Mr. Coombe, although he gave his opponent good odds, succeeded in winning the championship in this event, Mr. Prior retiring during the third set.

THE GUN.

PROPOSED TOURNAMENT.

The Victoria and Union Gun Clubs contemplate holding a grand tournament in a few weeks to wind up the season. If arrangements are completed the Sound and Mainland clubs will be invited to take part.

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WONDERFUL G.O.M.

The Premier Baffles the Efforts of a Wild Cow to Gore Him.

LONDON, Aug. 31.—While walking in Hawarden Park yesterday Right Hon. Mr. Gladstone was thrown down and trampled on by a stray cow. He was severely shaken, but not seriously injured. The cow was bought by Paul Jones, one of Mr. Gladstone's tenants, on Thursday at the Chester Fair. She is a powerful animal, and previous to the fair had suffered no restraint. She became bad tempered when tied in the stable and between Saturday and yesterday broke three halters. Yesterday at noon she again broke loose, ran through the open door and entered the woods near Hawarden Castle. Mr. Jones' men, after a short pursuit, gave up the chase. Although they had been warned that the cow was dangerous, no notice was given the people in the Castle that the cow was loose in the woods, and, in the afternoon, Mr. Gladstone alighted in the park, as is his custom, to walk the rest of the way home. The carriage had hardly disappeared when the cow crashed through the bushes directly in front of Mr. Gladstone. He stood still; as soon as the cow saw him she charged furiously. Mr. Gladstone tried to dodge behind a tree, but the cow was upon him in a moment. She knocked him down, trampled and tried to gore him, but her horns turning back, she was unable to pierce him with them. Mr. Gladstone regained his presence of mind after the first shock and lay perfectly still until the cow paused for a moment, then he slid from under her, jumped and ran. The cow pursued him, but he managed to keep the trees between them until she wearied of the chase. She scampered off and Mr. Gladstone walked home. He was nervous and somewhat bedraggled, but otherwise apparently uninjured. He drove in the park towards evening. To-day he attended church and seemed to have recovered completely. The news of Mr. Gladstone's encounter had hardly got abroad when it was learned that in the evening a guest of the castle while out walking had been attacked by the same cow and had been seriously injured.

CANADIAN NOTES.

News by Mail and Wire from all Parts of the Dominion.

Another rich find of gold is reported from Eastville. It is the richest strike in Nova Scotia.

At the next session of the Ontario Legislature a bill will be submitted forbidding parachute jumping in the province.

John McDougall, proprietor of the Caledonia Iron Works, Montreal, is dead, aged 67. He came from Scotland in 1838.

What is meant to be the largest cheese ever manufactured is now being made at the Riverside factory, Perth, for exhibition at the Chicago World's fair.

Miss Georgiana P. Osler, the oldest daughter of Mr. Justice Osler, was married at Toronto to Dr. Alexander Trevor Abbott, of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore.

John Whelan, formerly a hotel keeper in Winnipeg, and recently in the same business in Vancouver, has just started to drive in a wagon from Winnipeg to Florida, a distance of about 3000 miles.

The Grand Trunk and the Canadian Pacific railways and the city of Toronto, after six years' negotiation, have at last signed an agreement for building a new union station and the making of improvements to the Esplanade.

Henry R., a valuable stallion, was killed in a collision on the Grand Trunk Railway, near Winoma, about a year ago. His owner sued the railway company for $6000 damages, and the case has just been decided in favor of the owner, who was awarded $5000.

The German steamer Cremona has arrived at Grosse Isle, with over a hundred passengers on board. All were well. Three hundred and thirty-eight bales of rags were not allowed to be landed, but were placed on a lighter vessel and allowed to be taken back to Germany.

Ex-Alderman E. A. Macdonald, of Toronto, who has been before the Canadian public in various ways for years, and particularly lately as an advocate of strong annexation doctrines, is arranging for a series of annexation lectures in New York, Boston, Buffalo and other American cities. One object of the lectures is to raise money to start an annexation paper in Toronto.

An action for $5000 damages has been taken by Fabien Richette, a blacksmith, against Rev. Father Desjardins, vicar of St. Bridget's parish, Quebec. Richette alleges, it is said, that the priest told his wife in the confessional that she was not legally married to Richette and that the children by their marriage were illegitimate, causing Mrs. Richette to leave her husband. The plaintiff claims that he was married at St. Bridget's church in 1887.

In an editorial discussing the agitation started in Quebec for the withdrawal of the right to appeal Canadian cases to the Imperial Privy Council, the Mail says: "Sir John Macdonald used to regard an appeal to the Throne as the essence of British connection, and severely has he denounced the traitors who proposed an abandonment of that right. The Conservative Government certainly cannot destroy a final appeal without first forgetting the late Premier."

The scandal caused by the escapade of Father Guyot, a Sulpician priest of Montreal, has created a tremendous sensation in French-Canadian society, as the priest was the spiritual adviser of many large families. He is not expected to return to Montreal. It is understood he was a passenger on board of one of the French ships to New York, but he had been warned to keep out of the way of the husband of the woman whom he had betrayed. The husband has several letters proving his guilt.

Two Toronto corps of the Salvation Army have renounced their allegiance to Commandant Booth and enlisted under Brigadier Philpot. Other corps are preparing to follow suit, and numerous requests are sent to Toronto from outside points for Philpot to go out and explain the position of affairs. Commandant Booth has been compelled through the magnitude of the revolt caused by Brigadier Philpot's charges to reconsider his decision not to notice them, and has mailed his reply to all the Canadian field officers. The charges that the officers receive high salaries and live in luxury are denied. Strong evidence is offered in support of the denial.

RECIPROCITY CONVENTION.

Eight Important Propositions by a Canadian the Basis of Discussion.

GRAND FORKS, N.D., Sept. 1.—The international reciprocity convention began its deliberations in this city this afternoon, with an attendance of representative financiers and business men from this country and Canada. There are nearly one thousand delegates, coming from as far east as Buffalo and from all parts of British America, and representing the Chambers of Commerce and other business organizations of all the large cities of the northwest. The movement owes its inception to the Chamber of Commerce of this city, and the hearty response which greeted the original proposition has led to a large increase in the membership and proposed work of the convention. The gathering is strictly non-partizan, and will discuss measures for closer commercial relations between the two nations, lake navigation, the extension of a water channel from Buffalo to the sea along the natural route, the St. Lawrence River; the extension of railway communication, and other matters upon which concerted action would prove of benefit to both countries. Secretary McGinnis, of the Chamber of Commerce, received a letter some weeks ago from M. E. Reynolds, of Toronto. Mr. Reynolds suggests eight points upon which he thinks the convention should take action, and his suggestions will probably form the basis of the work of that body. They are as follows: 1. No duty by either country on natural products shipped between the two. 2. Anything from any other country shall pass through the customs of each, and be collected for at the point to which consigned. 3. Each country shall be entitled to full privileges of the canals and waterways of the other. 4. All railways shall have the right of way through any state or province, according to the laws of such state or province. 5. Both shall cooperate in maintaining waterways from the lakes to the Atlantic, and the right over the same shall be equal in all respects. 6. Coins of one country shall be accepted at par value in the other. 7. All vessels, not including armed vessels, shall have equal rights in the harbors and waters of both countries. 8. Citizens of either country shall have the right to carry on their occupation in the other country on the same terms as the citizens of that other country.

Affecting the State Revenue.

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 1.—The Supreme Court convened yesterday, and not very far down on the docket is a case that has played almost as important a part in Wisconsin politics as the famous gerrymander, a case involving points that in one form or another, have been before the people of the Badger state for over twenty years, and which, it is hoped by honest men in both parties, will be forever laid at rest before many days. It was in 1869 that the question of interest on the public funds first became the subject of legislative consideration, but it was not until 1876 that the appropriation of interest on the state funds by the treasurer was expressly prohibited. The state treasurers, however, in direct violation of the statute, have continued up to the present time to appropriate the interest, and now that suits have been brought against the ex-treasurers it is revealed that, with interest to date, $700,000 has thus been diverted from the state for the enrichment of wire-pullers and blacklegs. In November last year, Judge Newman of the circuit court gave judgment in this amount in favor of the state, and it is an appeal from this decision that is to be tried before the Supreme Court. It was under the administration of Gov. Peck that the suits were prosecuted and the Democrats are now counting largely on this fact as a campaign issue. The Republican platform, however, contains a plank commending the movement, and the question will probably have less weight in the coming election than it had two years ago.

This is a Joke.

Judging from what the wires say these are Halcyon days for all the U. S. customs officers on the coast.

Patrolman Julius Zeidler

Of the Brooklyn, N. Y., Police Force, gladly testifies to the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla. His wife takes it for dizziness and indigestion and it works charmingly. "The children also take it with great benefit. It is without doubt a most excellent thing for **That Tired Feeling.** I cheerfully recommend

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THE BURSTING OF A SAND BOX.

Danger Lurked in an Innocent Pod Which Wrought Much Damage.

Bolten had spent the winter wandering among the West India islands, and when he got back had a medley of curiosities which he had picked up in his travels. Among them were all sorts of beans and pods of tropical trees, and of the former were John Crow beans, the warry, the horse eye, Job's tears and many others. There were the long scabbardlike pods of the crimson flowered acassia cocoa pods, which rattled with the dried chocolate seeds inside them, and he also had two pods of the sand box tree, curious circular storehouses for the seeds, deeply ribbed, each rib running from top to bottom of the pod. These two latter received places of honor in lacquer trays, the smaller beans finding room around them. Bolten is a natty man, and on his mantelshelf in his bedroom were arranged these treasures, presided over by four statuettes of nude goddesses.

The vegetable ornaments of the shelf were the most innocent looking things imaginable, and he never dreamed for a moment that nature was still busy bringing to perfection those sand boxes. He had gone to bed after a hard day's work and was sleeping the sleep of the just when he was awakened by what he thought was a pistol shot in his room. At the same time missiles were flying all around. As he jumped out of bed to light the gas there was a second explosion, and this time he was peppered with all sorts of missiles.

The carpet was strewn with objects which were not pleasant to tread on, and in his anxiety to escape them and get at the jet he nearly broke the small toe of his right foot by jamming it against a chair leg. He nursed it affectionately, but sadly, for some time, swearing in undertones, but afraid to give loud expression to his pent up feelings lest there might be another fusillade.

At last, like a cat walking over hot bricks, he reached the jet and lighted the gas. The treasures of the mantelpiece were scattered about the room. The goddesses had been hurled from their high places and looked like Roman remains, headless and armless. The lacquer trays were in small pieces, while the pods and beans were scattered all over the room. The goblet had even been broken, and the water was standing in puddles about the carpet. The sand boxes had vanished. He searched around carefully. There was no trace, so far as he could see, of the cause of the explosions. He gathered up his broken and scattered treasures, finding among them segments of the sand boxes, and then, leaving the gas alight, tried to sleep. Of the strange occurrences he said not a word to his friends.

The other day a friend was in his rooms, and looking over the collected remnants remarked, "Hello! here are pieces of a sand box."

"What is that?"

"Well, it's the fruit of a tree that grows in the West Indies, and got its name owing to the planters using it in the days before blotting paper was invented for sand boxes. The seeds were cut out of the center and the pod was then filled with sand. It was rather an unsatisfactory box, however, as it often exploded."

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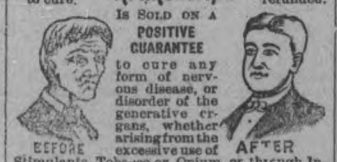

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A Tale of Adventure Which Ends in the Usual Way.

Years before the railroads and settlers drove the Indians and buffalo from western Kansas I found myself encamped with a party of engineers and a small escort from the Seventh cavalry on the Smoky hill, a short distance east of Pond creek. The Indians were very bad at this time, so that our work as surveyors was anything but ideal.

Our guide, scout and hunter, Tom Herndon, was, I think, the most unique and original character I ever met, and withal as brave as a lion and as simple hearted as a child.

The talk was about Indians, and particularly Santanta's band, some of whom we had seen that day, when Tom Herndon knocked the ashes from his pipe, felt in the bowl with his fingers and then placing it in his pocket said, with an inimitable drawl:

"I never trust an Injun, and the man as does is sure to be fooled."

After some coaxing Tom told us that he had a wife and five young ones, "all worth braggin on," and then to illustrate his reason for not trusting Indians he said:

"Let me see; yes, it's now jest ten years since the big war atween the Pawnees and Arapahoes bruk out. I'd been with the Pawnees right smart and every one of 'em was my friend, jest as much as a Injun ever can be the friend of white men. My father was then livin with a well growed up family of 'leven children, and me the youngest, over on the Kaw, not fur from the mouth of the Republican. 'Bout two mile further up the river, in the direction of sunset, Bob Cobb lived. He had a good ranch and a snug family of six gals and two boys. The gals was good lookin, and as most of father's family was boys, you can bet Cobb's ranch was a pop'lar place for 'em, though for a bit we had some trouble in sortin the gals out to suit.

"HE FELL FROM HIS HORSE AS MY PISTOL FLASHED."

"It took me 'bout two year to find out that Sue Cobb, the third from the oldest, was the one that suited me best.

"Well, as I was sayin, the Injun war broke out, and one day when no one was expectin it the Arapahoes come down the river, drivin the Pawnees before 'em like mad and, as was their habit when on the war path, scalpin every white man they come acrost, jest to keep their ornery hands in.

"The fust we knowed of it was when Bob Cobb and all his family 'ceptin Sue came a-gallopin in. The Arapahoes had showed up the night before, and in tryin to 'scape in the darkness he'd lost Sue.

"When I heered that I felt cold for a bit down to my toes, and then my har stood up on en.

"The Herndons wasn't never much on the stand and think when there was work starin them in the face. In less than a minute we was all in the saddle, with the two Cobb boys, and dad at the head—though he was sixty-two.

"It didn't matter to us now how strong the Arapahoes was, we felt 'bleeged to go for 'em whenever they showed up; and I'll say right har they was too strong and sassy 'bout that time to think of hidin.

"Jim, my oldest brother, was to've been married to the oldest Cobb gal in ten days and Jim was a tough one in them days, and it'd take a man to handle him now.

"Well, we rode all that day, till we most broke the hosses down, without jumpin a Injun. We halted after dark and rested the critters, but no one thought of sleep.

"Just afore sun up we saw 'bout 200 Arapahoes, not more'n half mile away.

"'Them's the fellows we wants,' said Jim and dad to onct, and before you could say 'skat' we was all in the saddle.

"There was no need to give orders. All dad ever wanted his boys to do was to follow his example, and we was willin to do it then, you can bet yer bottom rock.

"The Injuns saw us 'bout's quick's we saw them, and from the way they acted it was clear they wasn't skeert to hurt. They galloped on to meet us, and we could hear 'em shoutin and laughin at the easy job they'd have in cleanin our little gang out.

"Wa-al, they hadn't rid far afore they changed their tune. Eleven rifles just riz and flashed like one, and that ar Arapahoe fine stopped suddintlike and turned back. Jim was ready for this, and with dad by his side he pushed his horse, loadin as he ran, and we follerin suit. We dashed through a string of Injuns bleedin on the ground, but as they was dead we had no more use for 'em.

"We gained on the sneaks at every jump, for their ponies was no match for our hosses. We hadn't rid in pursuit more'n a mile when we dashed into a hollow, and lookin ahead what did I see but Sue Cobb sittin tied on a hoss, and a half naked Injun a-hurryin the animal to its quickest with a spear.

"Somehow, that sight took away all my senses, and from the way they say my hoss acted I reckon he must have lost his senses too. The fust thing I knowed I was away ahead of all the boys, shoutin like mad; and then I ran slap in among the Arapahoes.

"I felt them hittin me with their spears. I heard the hosses blowin and the arrers whizzin; but I saw nothin but that ar Injun ahead of me, pokin Sue Cobb's hoss with his spear.

"My hoss 'peared to grow faster and stronger at every leap, so it didn't take long to come up with that 'ar particklar Injun. He saw one comin, and tried to git away, but it wasn't in the wood. 'He fell from his hoss as my pistol flashed agin his side.

"I come alongside o' Sue and got holt of her bridle, but I soon seed her critter was peggin out. For the life of me I can't just say how or why I did it, but as the two animals ran neck and neck I caught Sue round the waist and swung her before me on my saddle. Then I gave a shout and I heard the boys a-cheerin behind me and the rifles poppin like mad.

"I took a look back and saw the Injuns was between me and my friends. Right ahead I saw a deep gully, and into this I headed my hoss. The brave critter dashed on for what seemed hours; then he began to heave and slow up, and I knew he was done for.

"I lifted Sue from the saddle as the brave hoss fell dead, then I ran to the top of the arroyo to see the sun settin, and not a livin thing but us two in sight.

"All that night me and Sue traveled by the stars, and jest afore daylight we came to the banks of the Kaw and saw a fire among the cottonwoods.

"It didn't take long to find that it was dad's party, with not a man missin, though they'd about give me and Sue up for dead.

"Wa-al, Jim was married ten days after that, and to save the preacher's comin again me and Sue was hitched at the same time. And since then the Cobb and Herndon families has got so mixed that the fathers and mothers can't tell which is which."

Torturing Prisoners.

There is a general but very erroneous belief that torturing prisoners, in order to make them confess before magistrates, has been long since banished from civilized lands, but it is practiced in this very time, and of all countries in the world, in civilized (?) Switzerland.

M. Borel, member of the assembly of Lucerne, recently proposed that information should be asked from the federal council as to the torturing of a prisoner in the canton of Zug.

The man in question was accused of theft. When brought before the court the prisoner acknowledged that he had taken the missing articles, but insisted that he had not stolen them but found them.

Following this the court ordered further inquiries to be made.

By way of getting at the truth as to the prisoner's guilt or innocence, the following course was pursued:

From the 26th of October to the 10th of November the man was kept in solitary confinement on a sparse diet of bread and water, but this treatment failed to induce him to vary his first statement.

On the 11th and 12th of November thumbscrews were applied to the man's hands, and his thumbs were pressed till the blood burst through the skin at the ends, still he persisted in his story.

On the three following days he was stripped every morning and beaten on the bare back with green withes till the skin was torn off. The poor fellow shrieked with agony, and after each beating an attendant would ask him:

"Now will you tell the truth?"

"I have told the truth," persisted the prisoner.

"That you found the things?"

"Yes."

"Then the torture will continue till you confess that you stole them," was the attendant's response.

After each beating the man's back was washed in cold brine, and he was thrown again into a dark cell.

On learning of the prisoner's obstinacy, the judge had him brought before him again, and said:

"Why do you not tell the truth?"

"I have told the truth," was the reply.

"Then the torture must proceed."

"Your honor can kill me, but he cannot make me say I am a criminal when I am innocent," said the prisoner.

The judge ordered the prisoner back to his cell, and here, after three months of such torture as even the Inquisition never dreamed of, he was released one night—by death.

And all this happened not in the Middle Ages, but last year in the heart of the free and independent Swiss republic.

Fortunately the man's death promises to result in a repeal of the barbarous law of torture.

A Highlander's Faith.

In the western highlands of Scotland some years ago I heard the following story, which well illustrates the Highlander's adherance to his chief and his faith in his master's power. Even to this day the peasants of Argyle believe that the power of "MacCallum More," as the Duke of Argyle, the head of their clan, is called, is more than mortal.

A Highlander was benighted on the moors when suddenly he saw a light, which at first he imagined to be one of those two stars called by Argyleshire men ton-thena, "fiery tail," and iul-oiche, "guide of night."

After watching the light for some time the man found he was mistaken, for the light began to dance before him, being nothing more than an iguis fatuus, will-o'-the-wisp.

The superstitious Highlander, however, imagined it was a ghost, for he is a great believer in apparitions. In his awful alarm he fell on his knees and implored Peter, Paul and the Holy Virgin to save him from this monster of the marsh, or, better still, to banish it back to Hades.

Despite his prayers to the saints, the light danced more vigorously and came nearer.

Driven to extremity the Highlander used the strongest form of adjectives of which he had any knowledge. Lifting up his hands and his voice he shouted out:

"In the name of the great MacCallum More, our blessed Duke o' Argyle, I command you to depart!"

The charm was effectual. The light paled and vanished, and with more faith than ever in the name and power of his chief, the man got safely home.

Carried His Head Under His Arm.

I recently came across a little history of St. Denis, the patron saint of France. This history was not a burlesque, but was evidently written in good faith by a man named Samuel Ireland.

The saint, it will be remembered, was beheaded, after which he walked from Rheims to Paris. This miracle Mr. Ireland emphasizes in the following striking way. He says:

"During this and other peregrinations of the good St. Denis, he carried his head under his arm. He took as much care of it as if it were to him the most precious thing in the world, and frequently he would sit down by the roadside, and taking his head in both hands lift it to his lips and kiss it with much affection."

ALFRED R. CALHOUN.

Trouble in Afghanistan.

"Men and stones" are the chief product of Afghanistan, according to an old proverb, but the population is now decreasing so rapidly that, as an Indian journal points out, the ameer runs the risk of ruling a kingdom of "only stones" before long. Cholera has swept away 10,000 Mohammedan inhabitants within a very short time, and the ameer, much alarmed for his country's prosperity, is inviting all Afghan refugees to return to Cabul.

Bengal Lights.

Bengal lights are made out of niter, sulphur and antimony. To make them sparkle four parts of sulphur and four parts of niter are mixed with two parts of fulminating mercury and gunpowder, and one of antimony.—New York Evening Sun.

AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITIONS.

Where and When the Fall Shows Will be Held This Year.

The full agricultural exhibitions in the province are given in the appended table in their order:

CHILLIWHACK—Chilliwhack Agricultural Society. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 14, 15 and 16.

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Sec. 1. The by-laws and parts of by-laws of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed are hereby repealed to the extent to which such by-laws or parts of by-laws are by such schedule expressed to be repealed. Provided, however, that such repeal shall not be held to affect any act done, right acquired, or forfeitures or penalties incurred under such by-laws or any or either of them, or to revive any by-law or part of by-law or provision of a by-law repealed by such by-law or part of a by-law, or prevent the effect of any saving clause therein.

TITLE OF BY-LAW.	Date of reconsideration and final passage.	Extent of Repeal.
Consolidated Officers Remuneration By-Law, 1886	16 June, 1886	The whole by-law
Consolidated Officers Remuneration Amendment By-Law, 1888	21 March, 1888	The whole by-law
Consolidated Officers Remuneration Amendment By-Law, 1889	27 March, 1889	The whole by-law
Consolidated Officers Remuneration By-Law (amended), 1889	14 Aug., 1889	The whole by-law
Water Commissioners By-Law, 1887	31 Aug., 1887	The whole by-law
Water Commissioner Amendment By-Law, 1889	11 Sept., 1889	The whole by-law
The Police Magistrate and Legal Advisers, Appointment By-Law, 1888, Amendment By-Law, 1891	12 Aug., 1891	The whole by-law
Bank Credit By-Law, 1889	27 Feb. 1889	The whole by-law
A by-law respecting the expenditure of the Municipal revenue for the year 1889	13 March, 1889	The whole by-law
The Assistant Assessors By-Law, 1889	14 June, 1889	The whole by-law
Fire Department By-Law, 1885	2 Dec., 1885	Section 6.
Fire Department Amendment By-Law, 1889	14 Aug., 1889	Section 1.
Municipal Election Regulation By-Law, 1890	26 Dec., 1889	The whole by-law
Bank Credit By-Law, 1890	5 Feb., 1890	The whole by-law
A by-law respecting the expenditure of the Municipal revenue for the year 1890	12 Feb., 1890	The whole by-law
By-law respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1890	30 July 1890	The whole by-law
Commissioners of Sewers Appointment By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1890	18 Dec., 1890	The whole by-law
Bank Credit By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1890	10 Sept., 1890	The whole by-law
Beacon Hill Park Commissioner Appointment By-Law, 1890	10 Sept., 1890	The whole by-law
Municipal Election Regulation By-Law, 1891	2 Jan., 1891	The whole by-law
Estimates By-Law, 1891	14 Feb., 1891	The whole by-law
The Streets Commissioner Appointment By-Law, 1891	5 June, 1891	The whole by-law
The Assessment Roll By-Law, 1891	11 June, 1891	The whole by-law
Bank Credit Amendment By-Law, 1891, No. 2	5 Oct., 1891	The whole by-law
The Land Improvement Rate By-Law, 1891	5 Oct., 1891	The whole by-law

Passed the Municipal Council the 10th day of August, 1892.

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Victoria, B.C., Aug. 6, 1892.
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The Daily Times.

ONLY "POACHERS."

The Post-Intelligencer furnishes its account of the seizure of the sealers with a headline stating that "four poachers" were captured by the Russians. We would respectfully enquire of our contemporary how vessels can be called "poachers" when they do not trespass on private territory. Does the Post-Intelligencer endorse the Russian claim to jurisdiction over all the western waters of the Pacific Ocean? Very likely not, but then these sealers, in the exercise of their undoubted right to hunt seals, have interfered to some extent with the interests of the monopolist corporation in which a member of the Harrison Administration has a large interest. They must therefore be dubbed "poachers" and be prepared to submit to any contumelious treatment that may come to them, without thought of protection or redress. The villainy of the Russian is an outgrowth of the villainy of the American Government, which was allowed to flourish too freely. If a vessel sailing from any port in Great Britain were made to suffer such indignities as have been heaped upon Canadian sealing schooners the nation would be up in arms at once. For instance, British fishing vessels frequent the eastern side of the North Sea in pursuit of their avocation. Suppose Germany or Denmark were to suddenly set up a claim to jurisdiction over the water within twenty miles, or even nine miles, of its coast, and were to seize any British fishing boat found within that limit, would the British Government quietly acquiesce in the seizure? Would it even refer the matter to arbitration, or to a court of law, or establish a modus vivendi? We trow not. The Channel squadron would be brought into requisition very quickly and the offending power would have to offer reparation or fight. The Canadian sealers are just as much entitled to protection as the British fishermen in the North Sea, and if they are not to get it the reason why should be plainly set forth, so that we may know just where we stand.

THE PRIVY COUNCIL.

The judgment rendered by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council in the Manitoba school case has apparently given rise to an agitation among the Quebec politicians for the purpose of doing away with appeals to that tribunal from the Supreme Court at Ottawa. There is a rumor to the effect that Sir John Thompson has fallen in with this agitation and has decided to ask Parliament to legislate in the direction urged. The cutting off of the right of appeal to the Privy Council, according to this rumor, is to be coupled with some remodelling of the Supreme Court. The Mail cites against this proposed move the utterances of Sir John Macdonald, who strongly insisted on the maintenance of the right of appeal to "the foot of the throne" and urged that it would be both tyrannical and disloyal to deny that right to any British subject. If we are not very much mistaken, the representatives of Quebec were even more anxious than Sir John to keep that right inviolate, at the time when the Dominion Supreme Court was established. They insisted on it as a necessary safeguard for the interests of their province, which they said might be injuriously affected if there were no appeal from judgments of the Supreme Court, the majority of whose judges would necessarily be drawn from the other provinces. Many of the Quebec men were even strongly opposed to the establishment of the Supreme Court, and if it had been left to a vote of Quebec alone to decide, that court would very likely not have been created. It may also be remarked that in more recent times proposals for the abolition of the Dominion tribunal have emanated from Quebec members. This judgment of the Privy Council seems therefore to have wrought a remarkable change of opinion among the Gleus in regard to these two courts.

It is hardly to be expected that this agitation for the abolition of the right of appeal will be successful, even if Sir John Thompson should personally favour its purpose. He would not be able to induce his own followers in the House of Commons to vote for the change; the very circumstances which have given rise to the agitation would necessarily cause a counter movement if the proposal were formally made to Parliament.

To the minds of most people the mention of this movement will recall the fact that the judgments of the Supreme Court and the Privy Council have very frequently been opposed to each other in cases involving questions of provincial rights. In the majority of disputes between the Dominion and Provincial powers the Supreme Court has decided in favor of the former, while in nearly every case the Privy Council has upheld the province. If there had been no appeal to the court at London the authoritative interpretation of our constitution would have been different on many points from that which we have had. There is undoubtedly a decided divergence of opinion among Canadians as to the proper co-relation of the Federal and Provincial powers, but we believe the majority of our people are pleased to have them defined as they have been by the Privy Council; and so long as there are disputed and uninterpreted portions of our constitution there will be a decided unwillingness to do away with the privilege of having them submitted to the adjudication of that tribunal. The outcome of the Manitoba school case will certainly not lessen that unwillingness among the great body of the Canadian people.

BRYNO'S CASE.

The mention of Piast Bryno's name seems to act on the Colonist as the sight of a red rag acts on a bull. So, for that matter, does the mention of any fact or circumstance that reflects in any degree on the Colonist's beloved master, the Premier. It is yet an open question, however, whether the organ's phrenetic discourse on the Bryno case this morning was due to real rage, or was only an attempt to show that it is possessed of the requisite amount of zeal in the cause of Davieism. In any case, it is only right to give the organ the friendly advice not to let its anger or its zeal outrun its discretion. It should remember, in the first place, that Bryno's case was first laid before the public by its fellow-organ the News, which seems to have accepted the man's statement without such investigation as the Colonist affects to believe necessary. The News further declaimed against the injustice from which it deemed Bryno to have suffered, taking pains, however, to create the false impression that the civic authorities were to blame in the matter. The Colonist, with hireling eagerness, rushed to the defense of the Davies, and put forth a version flatly contradicting that of its brother organ. It now endeavors further to make it appear that Bryno is an untrustworthy romancer, and that no one but himself is responsible for whatever misfortunes have overtaken him. In spite of all the doctors and the Colonist have said, the fact remains that the man while suffering from another complaint was seized upon as a smallpox patient and thrust into the quarantine station instead of being admitted into the hospital proper. His clothes were burned, and he says that papers of value to him were burned with them. The Colonist says it was necessary that his clothes should be burned, in order to prevent him carrying the ingection out with him. If this is so, how did it come that several people were allowed to go out from both the Ross Bay and Jubilee stations *wearing the clothes which they wore when they went in*? In view of all the circumstances we are free to admit that Bryno did make one serious mistake, and that was when he entered the the charmed circle of Davieism without a guide and protector.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Hamilton City Council has passed a by-law ordaining that any procession marching through its streets it must carry the Union Jack in advance of all other flags. This legislation grew out of the late unpleasantness caused by the action of the Toronto Hibernian Society in marching through Hamilton with the so-called Irish flag at their head and without displaying the Union Jack. As Puck would say, "What fools these mortals be!"

The Northwest Assembly yesterday failed to elect a new Speaker in Mr. Ross' place. Mr. Sutherland, one of Mr. Haultain's supporters, was proposed by the new executive, but the vote resulted in a tie, and the House was obliged to adjourn without doing business. It is now rumored that the Assembly will be prorogued, possibly in the hope that some developments during the recess will break the deadlock. There would seem to be little reason to hope for any solution of the difficulty short of a dissolution and a new election, but this the new executive does not want, since the verdict would almost certainly be in favor of the Haultain party. It is unfortunate that this trouble should have arisen at the commencement of responsible government in the Territories, for the advocates of the old order of things are given an opportunity to pose as truthful prophets.

The Toronto Empire, the chief organ of the Dominion Government, in speaking of the Manitoba school case, says: "Manitoba has won its case, and cannot be deprived of its victory." This is interpreted as a declaration that there will be no attempt to enact remedial legislation at Ottawa, and that Sir John Thompson's promise to the hierarchy in that regard will therfore not be fulfilled. It is to be hoped that this is correct, for any move in the direction of coercing the province would mean an aggravation of the dispute. On the other hand, if Manitoba is left alone its Government will not be likely to use harshly or tyrannically the power which it has been shown to possess. In New Brunswick, where the circumstances were very similar to those in Manitoba, a practical *modus vivendi* was established, whereby the Catholics and Protestants work along harmoniously under the Public Schools Act. Coercion from Ottawa would but add fuel to the fire, and do the Catholics of Manitoba much injury.

INFORMATION WANTED.

TO THE EDITOR:—I notice in the Colonist a few words censuring the TIMES for its defence of the unfortunate miner who lost his clothes at Ross Bay, and I would like to ask of the Colonist or its contributors on this subject a few questions:

We all know that a large number of people were confined at Ross Bay as suspects, and that upon their leaving there their clothes were destroyed. Some of them, it is true, were furnished with other clothes to replace those they lost, but a large number were not. What I would like to know is, are those who lost their clothes and received none in return to be recompensed for their loss? I should not ask this question if it had been absolutely necessary that their clothes should be burned, but that could not be possible, because some of the patients who were confined in the Jubilee Hospital grounds and who actually had the smallpox were allowed to take their clothes away, that is, such as they desired to take, after they had been properly disinfected, which was done by soaking them in a solution of bichloride of mercury. Now it cannot be possible that a "suspect" who was confined at Ross Bay for fourteen days wearing the same clothing all the time and yet not contracting the disease could have had more contagion about him than a patient who is broken out from head to foot and is confined in the hospital for six weeks.

Furthermore, I would like to enquire why it was that some patients at the Jubilee Hospital were allowed to take away their clothes and others were not? It must certainly have been necessary to burn all or none, or none except such as the owners desired burned, and it looks to a fair minded person as if the authorities in charge having burned clothing or other articles when they need not have done so, they should certainly see that the owners thereof are compensated.

ONE WHO WAS THERE.

NO WORD RECEIVED.

Governmental Wheels Grind Very Slowly—Cruel Suspense of Sealers' Friends.

Nothing has been heard from the slow-moving officials at Ottawa in regard to the seizure of the sealing schooners Ariel, Willie McGowan and Rosie Olsen reported to them Tuesday evening. Let alone promising to act they have not even sent that acknowledgement of receipt which common courtesy required. The work of preparing additional information to be sent to the government still goes on.

It was with something like a sigh of relief that the owners of the Annie C. Moore and the friends, business associates and wives and mothers of the officers and crew aboard welcomed her home in safety. Forty-two vessels are on the Russian side, there is no way to communicate with them and they are liable to seizure with all the accompanying horrors of life in the custody of Russian officers whose threat for the most trifling offense is Siberia. Thus may people appreciate the situation in which all those in Victoria interested in any way in the sealing fleet find themselves. It is cruel suspense.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Shares 217 A and B, held by Ross Munro, drew the 60th appropriation of the Vancouver Island Building Society, last evening.

The Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, will meet for drill at the Market Hall this evening at 7:30 promptly. A full attendance of members is requested.

There are not many tickets for Saturday's excursion unsold, and it is probable they will be all sold to-morrow night. Odd Fellows who have badges in their possession are reminded to bring them along.

Ladies who value a retined complexion must use *Pozzoni's Powder*. It produces a soft and beautiful skin.

San Francisco Sugar

Ex steamer Umatilla. Free from smallpox infection. Dixi H. Ross & Co. *

Phœnix Lager Beer.

"EL PADRE"
Reina Victoria.

THE OCCIDENTAL HOTEL.
R. H. BERRYMAN, Proprietor.
Nice clean rooms, best of board, well stocked bar; rates low; special rates made to families. Strangers in the city will find this a comfortable, homelike house to stop at. No pains spared to give satisfacti. n. jy15-tf

ANOTHER SHIP RETURNS.

The Sealing Schooner Annie C. Moore Brings Melancholy News From Behring Sea.

Shields of Victoria and Three Boats' Crews Lost Hunting off Copper Island.

The sealing schooner Annie C. Moore, Captain Hackett, arrived back from her cruise yesterday afternoon after the TIMES went to press and is tied up at Ritchet's wharf. She was out seven months and has six less than 1000 skins for her season's work. She brings back rather sad news.

On August 2 she lost two of her boats. The hunter in one was Hardie Murray and the boat puller and steerer, Chas. Boyal and James Harkins; in the other the hunter was Billy Nesbitt, the puller and steerer Joe DeVoe and Peter Warren. The men were lost during a heavy fog about 25 or 30 miles off Copper Island.

Two days after she lost her men the E. B. Marvin lost Billy Shields and his boat's crew under similar circumstances. Shields is known by nearly everybody in Victoria and was well liked. Any accident to him would be generally regretted. He was high line man of the fleet as far as known. It is impossible to say what became of the three crews. It is possible that they were picked up by friends, possible that they were found by Russians or had to go to Copper Islands for safety and were arrested as poachers, and it is also possible that they perished.

Besides the E. B. Marvin the Moore spoke the Walter L. Rich, the Favorite and the Penelope. The Marvin had 300 odd skins aboard, bringing her catch up to 2000 for the season. The Penelope was just back from the Japan coast and had 1400 skins. The Favorite had just reached Copper Island when seen, and the Rich was passed as the Moore headed for home. The crew of the Moore knew nothing of the seizures recently reported until the tug Sadie came alongside last night. She ran across to Copper Island after giving her skins to the Libbie about the time of the seizure of the Cequitlam. Her trip was profitable.

A TIMES man who was aboard this morning was told that the Marvin was a little suspicious about the Russians. The day before Billy Shields was lost he saw a little launch or steam cutter hovering in a cove on Copper Island. He reported the circumstance to the crew when he returned to the schooner that evening, and the Marvin accordingly sheered off and headed seaward keeping a sharp lookout for the Russian cruisers.

Energetic Amateur Actors.

Encouraged by the success of their late entertainment, the Victoria West Amateur Dramatic Society have reorganized and adopted a code of rules and regulations, and are losing no time in getting to work. In a short time they will present an interesting play of the melodramatic order, "Nevada, or the Lost Mine," in three acts and with special scenic and mechanical settings, which they are now rehearsing. Those who will take part are as follows, most of them having figured very creditably in the plays last spring:

Nevada, The Wanderer.....Mr. J. Colburn
Vermont, an old miner.....Mr. A. W. Semple
Tom Carew } young } ...Mr. A. E. Cave
Dandy Dick } miners } Mr. A. B. Oldershaw
Silas Steele, miss'y of health...Mr. C. Chambers
Jarden, a detective.....Mr. R. J. Russell
Jube, a black miner.....Mr. W. J. Cave
Wen Kye, a Chinaman.....Mr. E. Etherton
Mother Merton, a widow.....Miss M. Seaford
Agnes Fairlee, a school teacher...Miss G. Ure
Mossell, a waif.....Miss G. Campbell

Custom House Returns.

The customs returns for August were as follows:

IMPORTS.

Free	$118,774 00
Dutiable	194,410 00
Total	$313,184 00
Duties collected	$ 68,700 07
Other revenue	3,447 42
Total	$ 72,147 89

EXPORTS.

Produce of Canada	$107,415 00
Not produce of Canada	6,385 00
Total	$113,800 00

INLAND REVENUE.

Spirits	$6,088 90
Malt	4,344 30
Tobacco	7,244 50
Cigars	180 70
Inspection of petroleum	165 90
Total	$13,722 30

Have a Wreck of Their Own.

The Grant Brothers, of Tacoma, who wanted to raise the San Pedro with their secret process, have bought the wreck of the Ferndale, lost off Gray's Harbor some time ago, and will try to get her up. The vessel has a cargo of 2000 tons of Australian anthracite coal aboard and they paid only $2500 for the vessel and cargo. Although their process for raising vessels has been patented all over the world, it is still as much of a secret as ever. Some say that a chemical which displaces the water is forced into the sunken ship.

He Swindled British Columbians.

A man representing himself to be C. C. Cushman, traveling agent of the Seattle Telegraph, has been arrested at Mount Vernon for swindling. The Washington officials believe him to be the same man who did a lot of petty swindling through British Columbia, where he claimed to represent at times the Telegraph and then the Post-Intelligencer. His real name is not known. As there is a clear case against him he will no doubt be convicted and severely punished.

Social Dance.

The members of Seghers Council, Y.M.I., will hold the first of a series of socials to-morrow evening. Arrangements have been completed and the members are prepared to make all who attend thoroughly enjoy themselves. A good concert programme will be rendered early in the evening, after which there will be a dance.

The Health Officer.

Dr. Hugh Watt, M.P.P., will arrive from Cariboo next week, and during the absence of Dr. Milne in the east, will discharge the duties of medical health officer of the city.

No Other Sarsaparilla has the merit which Hood's Sarsaparilla has won such a firm old upon the confidence of the people.

Phœnix Lager Beer.

A Tour of Inspection.

Mr. W. J. Gerald, assistant commissioner of the Inland Revenue department, Ottawa, is in the city. He is on a tour of inspection to the different offices in the west.

The Quadra's Trip.

The steamer Quadra, Capt. Gaudin, returned this morning from a visit to the Gulf, Fraser River and Island lighthouses. The lighthouses were all supplied with coal, after which the new moorings were placed on the Fraser River buoys, and the buoys in False Narrows, Nanaimo, replaced.

Granted His Liberty.

U. S. District Judge Hanford at Seattle has granted Chin Quong Sook, the Chinese merchant recently taken from Vancouver to Seattle by Attorney F. H. Jones, mention of which was made at the time, his liberty, after hearing an appeal from the order of a U. S. Commissioner directing the deportation of the unfortunate Chinaman.

A Good Time Promised.

There will be one of those enjoyable socials at St. Lukes, Cedar Hill, this evening, for which the ladies of that sanctuary are justly celebrated. They have made special efforts for this entertainment, and they cannot fail to reap the success expected. Refreshments of a particularly palateable description will be served during the evening by the young ladies.

British Columbia Day.

Saturday, September 17th, is British Columbia day at the Tacoma Exposition. It was fixed on Saturday so the visitors from here could have Sunday, a holiday, to return without additional loss of time from business. Agent Blackwood states that round trip tickets, including admission coupon, good for return inside of five days, will be sold every Thursday for $4.70.

Officers Elected.

At the annual meeting of the Victoria Club the following committee of management was elected: J. S. Yates, A. L. Belyea, Dr. W. J. Quinlan, J. F. Jenck, J. McDonald, J. Hutcheson, A. Holmes, C. A. Godson, J. Fannen and J. E. Wilson. The committee elected the following officers: President, Dr. Quinlan; vice-president, A. L. Belyea; secretary-treasurer, B. Williams.

Pleasantly Remembered.

Mr. E. B. Paul, on bidding adieu to his scholastic duties in Esquimalt yesterday, in order to assume his new ones as Principal of Victoria High School, was made the recipient of a very handsome present from his former pupils. The souvenir was in the form of a beautiful album, presented, on behalf of the pupils, by Miss Annie Doran, Mr. Muir, one of the trustees, made an appropriate speech, wishing Mr. Paul all sorts of good luck.

At the Quarantine Station.

The daily report upon the smallpox situation, up to midnight last, is as follows:

JUBILEE HOSPITAL QUARANTINE,
Midnight, Aug. 31, 1892.

Cases in hospital August 25.....20
Admitted.....1
Discharged.....1
Cases in hospital August 26.....20

W. A. RICHARDSON, M.B.
Res. Medical Officer.

From the Skeena Direct.

The steamer Cariboo and Fly arrived at the outer wharf last night with 3500 cases of salmon from the Royal Canadian Packing Co.'s cannery on the Skeena, and a large consignment of furs. She left again this morning for Tacoma where she will discharge the salmon which go east over the Union Pacific. The steamer left Claxton on Sunday afternoon and had a fine passage all the way down. She will return from Tacoma to-morrow and leave for the north again on Saturday night as per advertisement.

Saturday's Great Excursion.

The prospects for a large crowd at the Oddfellows excursion to Seattle on Saturday grow better daily. The tickets are selling rapidly and it is expected there will be very few left by to-morrow night. The committee in charge of the arrangements will do their best to see that all who make the trip on the City of Seattle with them are given every opportunity to enjoy themselves. The excursionists will be able to obtain refreshments on board at reasonable rates. Plenty of time is to be allowed at Seattle to "do" the city without having to hurry.

To Study for the Ministry.

Next Thursday, September 8th, Mr. J. K. McLennan, teacher at West Saanich, will leave for Trinity College, Toronto, where he will take a double term in arts and divinity with the intention of becoming an Episcopal clergyman. As he is a young man of considerable ability and energy his many friends in Saanich and the Fraser valley expect that he will win high honors at Trinity. He is one of the most popular teachers in the province and has always taken great interest in church affairs. He held a license as lay reader, under the Bishop of Columbia and Bishop Sillitoe of New Westminster. In the Westminster diocese he has frequently visited during vacation at Saanich, taking duty in Christ church, Surrey, and St. Alban's, Langley Prairie. He also taught in these districts. Mr. McLennan has been a successful teacher for five years, three of which he spent in West Saanich, and was the founder of the Orange Lodge at that place.

PERFECTLY ASTONISHED

And More Than Pleased.

Cash buyers who took advantage of the low prices at the Sehl-Hastie-Erskine Co's were perfectly astonished at being able to buy so cheaply such lovely carpets, curtains and handsome furniture, while the lamps were almost given away. We are pleased to announce that this enterprising firm has decided to continue the sale at "less than auction prices" for ten days longer, so that everyone may have an opportunity of securing some of the bargains.

Newcombe Pianos.

Tone pure, sweet, brilliant, powerful. Kerr & Begg, 45 Government street. *

Sheffield cutlery at Fox's, 78 Government street.

THE GREAT FAIR.

Attractions Being Added to the B. C. Agricultural Association Exhibition.

The directors of the B. C. Agricultural Association are determined to make the coming exhibition the most attractive ever held in the province. In addition to the usual exhibition, the sports committee have arranged for a programme which will eclipse anything of the kind heretofore attempted. To the royal sport of horse racing will be added a gymkhana, there will be a bicycle tournament in which the flyers from all parts of the province will participate, and a lacrosse match between two of the senior teams.

There were present at last night's meeting President W. H. Ellis, in the chair, and D. R. Ker, W. Templeman, R. Seabrook, W. Dalby, T. W. Carter, W. Lorimer, John Braden, W. J. Pendray, S. Tolmie, J. Lamberton and J. Holland.

The sports committee's report having been adopted, the committee was authorized to make arrangements for the lacrosse match, the expenditure being limited to $225, and the printing committee was instructed to get the programme out as soon as possible.

The advisability of securing the services of the Seattle First Regiment band was discussed and the matter left in the hands of the president.

Ample provision will be made for transportation to and from the grounds, and under the direction of Superintendent Dalby the grounds and buildings are fast being put in readiness for the fair, which opens on the 27th inst.

KNIGHTS AT HOME.

Successful Opening of the Knights of Pythias New Hall.

The splendid new hall of the Knights of Pythias in the Duck building, Broad street, presented a gay scene last night, the occasion being the informal opening of the hall. The furnishing of the room was not complete, but this did not interfere in any way with the success of the entertainment. The hall was daintily decorated with emblems and mottoes of the order, conspicuous among the latter being the words "A Knightly and Chivalric Greeting to All," showing to advantage between the draperies of the Union Jack and Stars and Stripes. The bright lights from two electric chandeliers, and the softer light from many colored oriental lanterns, falling on the gaily dressed throng (for the ladies were exceptionally well dressed and the Sir Knights were present in full uniform), presented a beautiful picture. The handsome oak seats with their red plush upholstering also added an attraction to the room.

The knights and their friends were assembled in force by nine o'clock, when Capt. W. G. Whiteway, who acted as chairman, welcomed the friends of the order in a brief and appropriate speech, after which a very acceptable musical programme was carried out under the direction of Mr. A. Werner. The following were the selections:

Piano solo.....Mrs. Charles Lombard
Song—"Queen of Sheba".....Miss Goddyn
Duet—Mandolin and piano.....
...Signor Tadeschi Borelle and Mr. F. Sehl
Song—"Angels' Serenade".....A. Werner
Duet—Guitar and banjo.....Messrs. McDowell
Duet—Mandolin and piano.....
...Signor Tadeschi Borelle and Mr. F. Sehl
War song (Arditi) L'estasi.....Mr. A. Werner
Vocal quartette—"Sweet and Low"...Miss Goddyn, Miss Stewart, Mr. A. Werner and Mr. F. Sehl.....

When the last number on this musical list had been disposed of, Mr. Whiteway announced that dancing would form the remainder of the programme, and after an appropriate speech from Thos. Watson, commander of Sunset Lodge, the knights and their ladies, together with their friends and their partners, engaged in the fascinating exercises of the dance to the music furnished by Bantly's orchestra. The grand march was led off by Capt. Redgrave of the Uniform Rank and Mrs. Conlin. The assembly did not disperse till three o'clock.

Sig. Escalet of the Delmonico, provided an excellent supper, which received well-deserved attention.

The managing committee, Messrs. W. T. Whiteway, C. L. Work and P. J. Nolan, and the knights generally are to be congratulated on the success of this social event.

Its Intentions Are Good.

The New Whatcom Argosy gives the following amusing definition of the word Argosy, winding up the history portion with the usual American "boost" for number one:

"For the benefit of those who do not understand the meaning of the word Argosy, we reproduce from the first number of the paper, the following short explanatory article: Some may enquire, what is an Argosy? In the first place it is, or was, a ship, used for the purpose of either fighting, commerce or adventure. When, 20 years before the Trojan war, Jason undertook to bring back the golden fleece from Colchis, where the sleepless dragon guarded it, he caused Argus to build him a ship of 50 oars, which he named 'Argo.' Then, with a band of heroes he set out on his famous voyage, ploughed with the fire breathing bulls, sowed the dragon's teeth, moved down the harvest of armed men, killed the dragon, and sailed back victorious with the fleece as his reward. From this ship was derived the generic name of Argosy, which the Ancient Greeks applied to their navy and merchant marine indiscriminately. In these days we go for dollars rather than fleeces, but if this Argosy can help to make the ordinary every day wooly fleece cheaper for the workingman than it is at present the pilot is going to steer right in the wake of Sockless Jerry, nail his colors to the mast-head, and if he has to sink it will be with his colors flying to the last."

W.C.T.U. Meeting.

A meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union is being held this afternoon. Officers are to be elected and other business in general attended to.

Lots of Fish.

A large number of fishermen were out in the straits yesterday fishing for salmon. The fish were very plentiful, and several good strings were brought home.

In Good Order.

The Mayfair drive around Mount Tolmie has been repaired, and is now in good order. The owners of the Mount Tolmie estate are bound to make the place attractive.

Passengers from 'Frisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 1.—The passengers by the Walla Walla for Victoria are: Mrs. Aikman and two daughters, A. McBean, Miss Broderick, B. Hogan, G. Miller.

I.O.O.F. Excursion.

All members of the I.O.O.F. going to Seattle on Saturday are requested to wear their street badges. Those not having them can obtain them from the secretaries of their respective lodges.

Civic Meetings.

A meeting of the Board of Health was called to order shortly after three o'clock this afternoon. Health matters generally were being disposed of. The Sewerage Commissioners met at four o'clock.

The Chief Takes a Holiday.

Chief of Police Sheppard intends leaving to-morrow night with his children for a ten days' holiday, visiting relatives on San Juan Island. During his absence Sergeant Walker will act as superintendent of the city police force.

A Light Docket.

At the police court this morning the owner of the sheep which was left to die at Turner & Beeton's wharf on Monday night, admitted that his servants had ill-treated the animal and paid a fine of $10. A drunk, who was more than usually hilarious, was fined $10.

Death of Mrs. McCoskrie.

Captain E. McCoskrie, of the steamer Mascotte, is mourning the loss of his wife who died this morning. Mrs. McCoskrie was a native of Bruce county, Ontario, and 41 years of age. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 45 Montreal street.

Tore Down the Barricades.

The barricades put up last week to prevent vehicles from crossing the gulley bridge were torn down yesterday by some unknown parties. The city engineer has decided to take a few planks out of the bridge and see if that will prevent people from risking their lives on the rickety structure.

A Well Earned Holiday.

Mr. J. T. Lake, assistant to the general freight agent of the Canadian Pacific Railroad Company, leaves to-night by the City of Kingston on a visit to his relatives in Eastern Canada. He will visit all the principal cities in the United States and Canada, returning over the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Who is the Lucky Man?

The official announcement of the lottery of the Beneficencea Publica, of the City of Mexico, states that in the 43rd annual drawing on August 18th, ticket 47,876, sold in New York city and Vancouver, B. C., drew the capital prize of $60,000. Who the holders of the ticket are has not yet been made public.

Particulars at Washington.

U. S. Consul Myers yesterday sent a despatch to Washington giving particulars of the seizure of the British and American schooners by the Russians. He last evening received a dispatch to look after the crew of the schooner White, if they were here, but they had already left for the Sound.

St. James' Church Social.

The date of the social to be given by the ladies of St. James' church, in the hall adjoining the church, is Thursday, Sept. 8th, instead of Wednesday as announced yesterday. The ladies are making extensive preparations for the event and it promises to be one of more than usual interest.

Ranks With the Best.

The Victoria Brewing and Ice Company placed their thirst-allaying production, the golden, sparkling lager on the market to-day. The TIMES has to acknowledge receipt of a sample keg. If the bulk of the brew is up to the sample received there should be a strong and steady call for Victoria lager here and wherever the amber liquid finds its way. It is excellent beer and is sure to find immediate favor with all consumers.

The Shooting Season On.

To-day the duck shooting season began and from to-morrow till the first of February, grouse, prarie chicken and meadow lark may be shot. The local sportsmen have made careful preparations for the hunt, and the game referred to will suffer before the week is out. Both grouse and duck are said to be plentiful and the hunter who goes out and returns without a well filled bag will be more than out of luck.

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The steamer Bushmills was found, on examination in the drydock last evening, not to have been damaged by running on the rocks in Vancouver harbor. She will probably come out of dock to-day.

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4 yards Lace Curtains, taped and scalloped, $2.75 a pair.
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4 yards Lace Curtains, 52 yards wide, taped and scalloped, $4 a pair.

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Professor Tottenham: JAMES McLEOD.
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aa16-1f August, 1892.
M. YOUNG,
LOUIS YOUNG.

CALMLY FACING THE ISSUE.

The Sewerage Question is Finally Brought to a Point by the Councillors.

The Bryno Case Calls Forth a Shoal of Official Communications of Denial.

When the Mayor called the meeting of the City Council to order last night a full board was in attendance.

The Mayor called attention to the fact that $712.64 is still due for wages in connection with the construction of the sewers, and that $2000 due for right of way and other things was also still due. He said he could not, or at least, did not feel like authorising payment without the sanction of the City Council.

Ald. McKillican stated that the only way of paying the amounts due for wages was for the commissioners to draw checks for them. On his motion it was voted to authorize the Mayor to sign checks for the wages.

Ald. McKillican brought up the sewerage question again by moving that Mr. McBean's contract be terminated. Ald. Lovell seconded the motion.

Ald. Bragg wanted to lay it on the table for one week in view of Ald. Baker's motion which was to come up.

The Mayor stated that the motion to terminate the contract relieved Mr. McBean of no liability. Should Mr. McBean desire to do so he might put 500 men to work on the sewers under his agreement and make the city pay for it.

Ald. McKillican said the council was at the mercy of the contractor, who could come at them for damages for every day lost.

The following report from Mr. Mohun was read:—

"I am instructed by the sewerage commissioners to report that the sewerage works have been practically completed as far as the funds placed at their disposal permit. Certain repairs have to be made, however, to the works, which the contractor has been notified to make at his own cost, in accordance with the terms of his contract; after which, as soon as the sewers are found to be in a sound and satisfactory condition, they will be accepted by me subject to the specifications relating to the term of maintenance. The contract time, as you are aware, expires on October 31 next. The work of checking the whole of the details is being performed as rapidly as thorough accuracy will permit."

Ald. Lovell said the ending of the contract would not relieve the contractor for liability for these repairs.

Ald. Baker charged that the sanitary engineer and the commissioners had not treated the council properly. They should have notified the council of the nature of the repairs. He did not think that proper care had been used in spending money.

The Mayor said that the commissioners had frequently notified the council that more funds were required. Had the council not wanted to spend the money they should have terminated the contract instead of letting the expenses pile up.

The vote was taken and the McBean contract terminated, only Ald. Styles, Baker and Humber voting no.

Ald. Baker then moved that a committee of four aldermen be appointed to examine the sewers, test them with water and send men through to locate broken pipes before any more money be paid. Ald. Hall seconded the motion.

Ald. Hunter forcibly attacked the proposition. He said the council had no right to tamper with the sewers. He asked that the aldermen wait until the repairs are made, the sewers cleaned out and the engineer makes a report on an honest examination. He claimed that there was a little clique of contractors in the city who would be glad to see the whole system destroyed.

Ald. Styles thought the city had a right to make an examination, but Ald. McKillican agreed with Ald. Hunter. The city had no right in the sewers. The royal commission had so decided. The sewerage commissioners were named for the purpose.

Ald Humber said Mr. Mohun was the one to make the examination.

Ald. Bragg said that Ald. Humber had been unfair in his remarks. He said the council should have and was entitled to an investigation and report. He belonged to no clique and was controlled by none.

After replying to Ald. Hunter, Ald. Baker agreed to let his motion go over for a week. This was agreed on.

REPORTS.

The report of the finance committee recommending the payment of bills amounting to $3306.87 was accepted and ordered paid. The same committee also recommended the payment of $250.60. Adopted. Their action in paying claims amounting to $623.62 was confirmed.

The report of the street committee, refusing to make a number of improvements asked for, because there are no funds on hand to make them, was adopted.

Ald. Humber thought something should be done with the Gorge road bridge.

CLAIM IT'S A LOTTERY.

A letter was received from the tailors of the city protesting against a certain co-operative tailoring bureau. They claim that it is a lottery and say that similar institutions have been suppressed in Winnipeg and other cities. The police committee were requested to investigate the matter.

AT THE CITY'S PLEASURE.

A letter was received from F. G. Jordan, just discharged from the sewerage work, demanding the usual notice of 30 days.

The Mayor said that all city employes were employed at the pleasure of the city. The communication was received and Mr. Jordan's attention will be called to the fact stated by the Mayor.

Mrs. John Butler, of 47 View street wrote asking for $65 for property destroyed by fumigation, to the board of health.

Jumbo, the big roller was lent to the B.C. Agricultural Society to be used in putting the grounds in better condition. The city will pay the expenses.

The application of Joshua Davies, asking to be put on the voters' list of the north ward, was refused as the time has expired.

Theo. Davie was granted permission to open Government street from Yates to Johnson for the purpose of connecting his Adelphi block with the Johnson street sewer. The city engineer will superintend the work.

Herbert Cuthbert & Co., wrote protesting against any proposition for the sale of the market being entertained. They asked for a six years' lease at a rental of $250 per month. They asked that the superintendent be retained, and promised to cut the rent of the stalls down.

Ald. Hall did not think the council could lease beyond its own term. And Ald. McKillican said it would have to be done by by-law anyhow. The matter went to the market committee.

City electrician McMicking asked for an additional man to trim and help care for lamps. Winter is coming on and the force is not large enough to do the work. The matter was laid over.

Secretary Williams, of the School Board, wrote complaining of the condition of the drain at the Hillside school. Referred to the sanitary committee.

The council then listened to the reports on the Bryno and McCormack cases. In the former case a letter from Dr. Davie, inclosing letters from Drs. Richardson and Hasell, as follows:

FROM DR. DAVIE.

VICTORIA, 31st August 1892.

To His Worship the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Victoria:

GENTLEMEN,—In reference to your communication with regard to Piast Bryno, I beg leave to submit the following letters from Dr Richardson, resident medical officer of the Jubilee Hospital Quarantine Station, and Dr. Hasell, late resident medical superintendent of Ross Bay Suspect Station, which fully explain themselves.

I saw Bryno myself four or five times while he was in the suspect station; he was receiving all requisite attention from Dr. Hasell; he made no complaints to me in any way concerning his treatment there or at the Jubilee Hospital quarantine station, but appeared to be perfectly satisfied.

In the future, I should suggest the advisability of enquiring into the correctness of such statements as have been made by Bryno before letters, such as have been sent to the council by him are handed to the newspapers for publication. Yours faithfully,

J. C. DAVIE, M.D.

FROM DR. RICHARDSON.

PROVINCIAL ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL, VICTORIA, Aug. 27. 1892.

J. C. Davie, Esq, M.D., City:

DEAR DOCTOR:—The facts regarding Piast Bryno are these: I found him standing with two cases of developed smallpox outside the gate on the morning of July 24th. He complained of all the premonitory symptoms of smallpox, and appeared to be very ill. I admitted him into quarantine and had him put into a tent. He had high fever, intense headache and backache for two or three days. He persisted in walking about against my instructions, but seemed to improve each day. He was removed with the other suspects to Ross Bay. He stated to me before he left that he felt quite able to walk over. He did not leave any clothing or property here. I am, yours faithfully.

W. A. RICHARDSON, M.B.

PROVINCIAL ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL, VICTORIA, Aug. 27, 1892

J. C. Davie, Esq., M.D., City:

DEAR DOCTOR:—Since reporting to you this afternoon about the case of Piast Bryno, I have seen his letters to the TIMES.

He states that he did not receive any medical treatment. That is a false statement, as I gave him all necessary medical attendance, and administered some of the medicines myself. He persisted in walking about in spite of my instructions to him to keep in his bed.

His statement about two drunken nurses fighting is also false. A man who had been nursing a case of smallpox in town was brought here in a drunken condition. It was necessary the following night to place him under arrest, but I have the evidence of those who were present that he was not at any time near Bryno's bed, nor was Bryno disturbed in any way. There was no screaming by a paralyzed patient. This is an absolute untruth.

If Mr. Bryno injured his back while here he did not consider it of sufficient importance to report the matter to me. His complaint of maltreatment here is a malicious falsehood.

He never heeded my advice that was given him; he persisted in sitting and moving about the grounds in a way in which no man who was severely ill could have done: I am, yours faithfully, W. A. RICHARDSON, M.D.

FROM DR. HASELL,

J. C. Davie, Esq., M.D., City:

DEAR DR. DAVIE,—In answer to your request for a report on the charges made by Piast Bryno against the Provincial authorities during his detention at the Ross Bay suspect station: I find on reference to my note book, that he was admitted as a suspect on July 19. On my taking charge of the station, on the 25th of July, he was reported to be sick. I went and saw him and heard his story, and wrote a prescription for him and sent it into town to be filled. He had it on the 27th, and expressed himself as much the better for it. I saw him daily while he was in the station. His appetite improved and he expressed himself to me as well the day before his discharge, which took place on August 4. When I first saw him he was complaining of headache and backache, which symptoms he attributed to malaria and kidney disease. I examined his urine, with negative results. He was lying in bed for a few days, but after taking his medicine for three days his appetite returned and he was at the time of his discharge, so he said, feeling well. He had no reason to complain of his treatment at Ross Bay during my administration duty, from July 26. Dr. Wade and yourself both saw him, in consultation with me, three times in all. The only complaint or request he made to me was that he might have more milk and fruit, which were ordered for him at once, and which he told me he got at my orders. He expressed himself as quite satisfied with the treatment he had received at my hands during his stay in Ross Bay, and this he did spontaneously, without any question from me. No papers, or any other property other than some clothes, were destroyed when he left the station. Yours faithfully,

EDWARD HASELL, M.D.,
Late Resident Medical Superintendent Ross Bay Suspect Station.

Referred to the Board of Health.

The council transacted some minor business and adjourned at 11:45 p.m.

ENAMELING THE BATHTUB.

"Loosha" Tells How "That Stout Party in the Third Floor, Front," Did It.

Loosha had things pretty much her own way at Billit's, Mrs. Billit, who loved Loosha as her own, being content to sit in her little parlor like a lady and "make up her slates" (at which arithmetical exercise she was, to quote Loosha, "a oner") while Loosha rode upon the whirlwind and directed the storm. Lodgers of all shades and patterns frequented Billit's. Commercial gentlemen, independent ditto, military, naval, legal and clerical, all passed under Loosha's eye in regular rotation. That terrible organ plumbed, measured, weighed, dissected and classified them, while upon the tablets of Loosha's memory were engraven their characteristics, weaknesses, failings and idiosyncrasies. The experiences collected by Loosha during her seven years at Billit's would make a good sized volume. Some of these experiences are weird and grewsome, others laughable or absurd.

As in the case of that stout party in the third floor, front. His "nearness," as regarded the expenditure of currency, proved, as Loosha says, his fall. He was a miserly old 'unks, she says, or he would never have tried to paint the inside of his bath with Elphinstone's Elephant Enamel instead of sending it to the japaner's to be properly done up. And what happened was a judgment on him and his ways. For the very next morning, after Loosha had deposited at his door the two large sized cans of boiling water—for which that stout party "'ad a right to 'a' paid extra, or at least remembered the girl who regularly put out her scollop bone in carrying of 'em up"—the repeated plungings of some heavy body on the third floor caused the house of Billit to tremble, while at the same time that stout party's bedchamber bell tintinnabulated violently. Loosha responded to the summons.

"E opened the door to my knock," she relates, "in 'is dressin gown, as were a Rob Roarer plaid, tied around where 'is waist ought to 'a' been with a bell pull and tassel. My 'art turned right over when I clapped my eye on 'is face, it was that gashly white. 'My, oh, gracious, sir!' I says; 'ain't you well?' I says. 'Is answer was a sickly sort o' smile; an, lo and be'old you, in that identical moment 'e cracks all over 'is features like a whitewashed ceilin when a carpet dance is goin on over-'ed. I'd a screeched, but for an idear that rushed over me; an 'astily pushin that stout party to one side I rushes into 'is room. There stands the bath, as 'e'd just got out of steamin in the middle of it, and white soup was not the word for the water, nor 'orrid strong enough to call the smell of it. 'Wot can be the matter?' says that stout party innercently; 'I feel exceed'n'ly strange, Loosha.' 'Which simularly would be strange if you didn't!' I sharps back on 'im, 'considerin you're a livin mask of Elphinstone's Elephant Enamel, an if allowed to set will last a lifetime, as the labels say; so I should advise you,' I says, 'to get yourself scraped without delay.

"At that 'e 'owls out 'orrid, an plunges at the bell, an I goes down an fetches Mr. Billit an Edward, the boot boy, promp' measures bein indispensual, an between 'em they got 'im out of 'is shell. 'E didn't stop long at Billit's after that, because of the story leakin out, an the other lodgers givin 'im the nickname of 'Old Crusted,' besides sendin 'im a circ'lar from the enamel comp'ny askin 'im to forward 'is photograph before an after use for an advertisement, an kindly oblige."—St. James' Gazette.

Wherein Mr. Field Was Great.

To Cyrus W. Field it was given to render the world incalculable service. The creater of the magnetic telegraph was Morse, but back of him was Field, the man of faith and energy and purpose. He believed in the Atlantic cable. After its first failure in 1858 he was still undaunted. He risked his future at a time when other men would have quailed. Success came, and today the whole world is knit together in one great brotherhood. There is touch between the continents and the far off islands of the boundless seas, and to Cyrus W. Field, the genius, all is due.

We of this city owe him unmeasured honor. To him we are indebted specially for the low rate of fare on the elevated railways, which has done so much to develop the growth of the city. Fortune smiled upon him in his great undertakings, but in his latter days sorrow sat by his hearthstone. He had the sympathy and respect of his fellows, as well as the gratitude of two worlds. New York should be proud to honor him.—New York Advertiser.

The Archive House at Weimar.

A project, farreaching in its importance to literature, as well as extremely interesting in its origin and development, has just been set on foot in Germany by admirers of the fatherland's great duumvirate, mostly members of the Goethe-Gesellschaft, and others interested in preserving to Weimar her traditional and proper position as the center of German literature.

The plan is simply this: To place in the hands of the grand duke and grand duchess of Saxe-Weimar, on the occasion of their golden wedding (Oct. 8 of this year), as large a sum as possible toward the erection of an archive house in Weimar for the literary relics of Goethe and Schiller, together with an appreciative and sympathetic address from the contributors, and thus repay in spirit the labor of love which the grand duchess, supported by the advice and sympathy of her august husband, has undertaken single handed in the interests of German literature.—London Saturday Review.

A Sleeping Peer.

It is said the Duke of Devonshire goes to sleep in the house of lords. What else is he to do should that august house sit late, as it does three or four times a year? Besides, it is the custom to go to sleep in parliament when you have a mind to. The rules forbid the perusal of a newspaper, a magazine or a book. If a peer or a member of the commons desires to read he must go to the reading room or the library. Therefore, when a bore is on his legs about 10 or 11 o'clock, and his diffuse and uninteresting commonplaces are running out in turgid verbosity, what better thing can a statesman do than go to sleep?

When in the lower house as Lord Hartington the duke was a confirmed sleeper, with his legs against the clerk's table, his hat tilted down over his eyes, his mouth open and arms folded, or balancing his body upon the seat. At times his lordship was guilty of an approach to snoring. People who go to bed about 3 or 4 in the morning must take their sleep somewhere. —San Francisco Call.

Looking for Originality.

"I told you yesterday I would not marry you," said she.

"I know it," said he. "That is why I ask you again today. You would not be so lacking in originality, I hope, as to repeat today what you said yesterday."—Harper's Bazar.

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THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the shareholders of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company at Victoria on Wednesday, the 5th day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Victoria, 30th August, 1892.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

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NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Union Colliery Company of British Columbia, Limited Liability, will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 5th day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Victoria, 30th August, 1892.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

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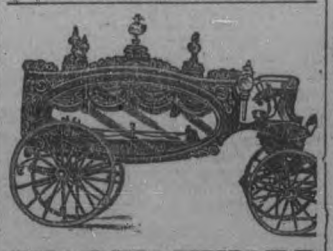

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AND

Donald Henry McNeill, Alfred McNeill (the youngest), George Frederick McNeill, William McNeill, Edward Hamilton McNeill, Helen Fanny McNeill (an infant), Alfred McNeill (the elder), and Mary McNeill, DEFENDANTS.

Pursuant to the order made herein by the Honorable H. P. Pellew Crease, one of the Judges of the Court, on the 29th day of June, 1892, and the further order made on the 24th day of August, 1892, Mr. Joshua Davies, the person appointed by the Court, will sell by Public Auction, at the Salesroom of

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TIME TABLE NO. 16.

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday, April 29th, 1892.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

SOUTH BOUND. READ UP.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Friday, Sat. and Sun.	Miles from Wellington.
	Ar. 12:45 P M	Ar. 8:00 P M	72
VICTORIA	12:20	7:50	77
RUSSELLS	11:10 A M	7:25	65
ESQUIMALT	11:10	7:25	65
SUMMIT SIDING	10:50	6:57	58
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	10:40	6:47	47
COBBLE HILL	10:27	6:35	39
McPHERSON'S	10:17	6:05	33
DUNCANS	10:13	6:00	32
KOKSILAH	10:02	5:52	29
SOMENOS	9:55	5:39	23
OYSTER BAY SIDG	9:35	5:23	13
NANAIMO	Dp. 8:35 / Ar. 8:25	Dp. 4:30 / Ar. 4:15	0
WELLINGTON	Dp. 8:10	Dp. 4:3	4.3

NORTH BOUND. READ DOWN.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Friday, Sat. and Sun.	Miles from Victoria.
	Dp. 8:00 A M	Dp. 3:50 P M	
VICTORIA	8:30	3:05	4
RUSSELLS	8:45	3:20	11
ESQUIMALT	8:45	3:20	11
SUMMIT SIDING	9:07	3:42	28
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	9:17	3:52	31
COBBLE HILL	9:27	4:02	38
McPHERSON'S	9:37	4:12	46
DUNCANS	9:41	4:16	49
KOKSILAH	9:54	4:29	56
SOMENOS	10:07	4:42	63
OYSTER BAY SIDG	10:23	4:58	73
NANAIMO	Ar. 10:50 / Dp. 11:30	Ar. 5:25 / Dp. 6:22	89
WELLINGTON	Ar. 12:15 P M	Ar. 6:50	3

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THE MAN ABOUT TOWN.

A frequent question asked when some atrocious crime is committed is: "Where are the police?" As a rule the question is an absurd one, for criminals are apt to watch for a suitable opportunity before attempting to commit a crime. The policeman is allowed a wide circuit before the burglar commences. The question is not an absurd one when applied to the application of various by-laws around town. Take for instance the obstructions on the sidewalks by merchants, the use or rather abuse of the roads for building operations, the gathering of knots of idlers at the street corners and the accumulation of decaying animal matter on the public highway. If the notifying of the offenders in these respects is not the duty of the police, pray what are their duties? To smoke cigars, pass a retort on the street, stroll about with heavenward eyes, and to attend to complaints if made are not the chief duties of our civil soldiery. And this suggests this idea: Some of the aldermen to whom a suggestion of complaint is made will say, why not send your complaint to the council meetings? There may be many reasons why citizens do not like to complain of their fellow citizens, but there are no reasons why the chief of police should not issue his orders and see them obeyed.

I mentioned yesterday that the last mortal remains of a hog could be seen on the beach at the foot of Cook street. Not far from the worthy Mayor's residence may be also observed a deceased duck and a defunct cat upon whom the burial service has not been read. If any clergyman residing in the neighborhood would kindly volunteer his services for funeral obsequies, and the aid of the city scavenger be obtained, I shall be pleased to act as clerk. I trust that the clergyman will fortify himself with a large supply of lavender water or other fragrant scents. The last sad rites are expected to be most affecting.

Societies spring up like mushrooms. For every conceivable question under the sun, and above it, too, men and women form associations. If it was seriously proposed to undertake the education of monkeys, or the humanizing of tigers, I expect a number of people would be ready to give to these objects their support. One of the latest fads is to constitute "Self-Reform Societies," the objects of which appear to be commendable, if a little visionary. In brief, the society enjoins its members to rember that "reform," like charity, begins at home. Each member must "try to live in harmony with all life," whatever that may mean; to "evolve only good thoughts;" to "speak nor nor think ill of one another, no matter how great the provocation," and to be "the embodiment of love and goodwill." Lastly, each member is expected not to let an opportunity pass to help their fellow beings. I am so impressed with the value of the propaganda that I almost resolved to get the Premier to subscribe for some copies for distribution among his colleagues.

I have received the following letter from an indignant Victorian:—

Apropos of the sealing question which is agitating us just now, it may not be generally known that a British admiral has more latitude than is general supposed. The reasons for a display of his authority must, however, come to him first hand, that is to say if the unfortunate sealers had made known their treatment to the admiral on this station he must have taken notice of it. I do not write authoritatively or from any knowledge of what Admiral Hotham would have done, or from any interview upon the subject, but I do know from established precedents of naval annals, that British admirals and captains have acted on their own responsibility in such matters and their action sustained by the Imperial Government. But the affair having gone to the authorities at Ottawa, it now must go through the usual circumlocution of office, and the admiral must await instructions from head official sources. Many citizens are enquiring into the value of a naval force and its supposed protection to our shipping, but it would appear to me common sense that if the Admiral were now to proceed to extremes, he would be doing it entirely on the facts having come second-hand, and therefore the responsibility doubly great. Anyway, since this question is opened, I would be glad for some lawyer or person versed in naval affairs to enlighten us on the subject; for it is an interesting one, besides being of vast moment to Victorians. For although I am no jingo I believe in ready retaliation, for it appears to be the only effective argument sometimes—especially with such semi-savages as the Russians.

I am no believer in resorting to warlike demonstrations, but it does seem that "force is the only remedy" the Russians understand. Of course proper enquiry should be made. QUIZ.

GREAT NAMES.

TO THE EDITOR:—It will be news to most people that "great names" in science, medicine or anything else are now to be found ranged on the side of the anti-vaccinists. If "Scotus" knows any, why did he not mention them? It is well known that a great many people are opposed to vaccination, and especially to its being made compulsory, but they are men in business and not professional. Most business men have no time to study medical subjects, and are not the best authorities on them anyway. W.

JOHN'S AFFECTING TAIL.

MISTA EDITO:—My wanchee you look-see here. Long time my hard work, way down Shanghai. Bymeby one piecee man. He come, he say, "Hello! John, you wanchee makee wang (what you call plenty money). You comee Blitis Clumba. All-a-same England. Land of the flee and the blave." My wanchee, so my comee makee walkee Wictolia in one piecee ship. In Wictolia my look-see. Topside Blitis flag, down corner John-man (you callee him Chinaman). Makee plenty wash-house, eatee plenty chow-chow, all-a-same lich man. Bymeby my come Flaza Liva, catchee salmon can pigeon. My boss Mista Englis. He welly fine man, my likee makee talkee him. All-a-same Lithet, he one piecee ship. My come chop-chop Victolia. Docta Watt he velly quickee walkee wharf, welly quickee talkee. He say, "Mista Englis, where you c'tifkit?" Mista Englis he say, "My no catchee c'tifkit." Docta Watt he say, "Then you can catchee waxination." Mista Englis he say, "My no catchee, damfido." He walkee shore. Docta Watt he catchee Chinaman, he wanchee waxinate. Chinaman no wanchee. Chop-chop pliceman come, putee in shed. Long time one night. All-a-same nex morning Chinaman catchee waxination. No catchee waxination, no can walkee. Mista Edito. My look-see. Topside Blitis flag, pliceman he say, "Blitis Clumba land of the flee and the blave all-a-same England." My thinkee. Mista Englis he flee and blave; Chinaman he 'mplison, catchee waxination. All ploper. My look-see law. Law him say all men equal. My say "Whare?" Men no equal in Wictolia. Too muchee foolee in Wictolia. My no likee, my no sabee. My catchee one piecee ship. Go back China. Good-oye Mista Edito. WUN LUNG.

JOURNALISTIC ETHICS.

George William Curtis on the Relations of Newspapers and Good Manners.

Discussing the question, "Can a man be a blackguard in journalism and a gentleman in private life," George William Curtis said in one of his "Easy Chair" talks:—

"The Easy Chair has been asked whether there is any code of newspaper manners. It has no doubt that there is. But it is the universal code of courtesy, and not one restricted to newspapers. Good manners in civilized society are the same everywhere and in all relations. A newspaper is not a mystery. It is the work of several men and women, and their manners in doing the work are subject to the same principles that govern their manners in society or in any other human relation. If a man is a gentleman, he does not cease to be one because he enters a newspaper office, and it would seem to be equally true that if his work on the paper does not prove to be that of a gentleman, it could not have been a gentleman who did the work.

"A gentleman, we will suppose, does not blackguard his neighbors, nor talk incessantly about himself and his achievements, nor behave elsewhere as he would be ashamed to behave in his club or in his own family. If a gentleman does not do these things, of course a gentleman does not do them in a newspaper. And does it not seem to follow, if such things are done in a newspaper, and are traced to a hand supposed to be that of a gentleman, that there has been some mistake about the hand?

"Good manners are essentially a disposition which molds conduct. They can be feigned, indeed, as gilt counterfeits gold, and plate silver. But the clearest glass is not a diamond. A man may smile and smile and be a villain. Scoundrels are sometimes described as of gentlemanly manners, and Lothario was not personally a boor. But he was not a gentleman, and he merely affected good manners. A gentleman, indeed, may sometimes lose his temper or his self-control, but no one who habitually does it, and swears and rails vociferously, can be called properly by that name. Here again it is easy to apply the canon to a newspaper. When a newspaper habitually takes an insulting tone, and deliberately falsifies, whether by assertion of an untruth or by a distortion and perversion of the truth, it is not the work of gentlemen.

"But there is no uniformity in newspaper manners, as there is none elsewhere. Therefore it cannot be said that newspapers, as a whole, are either well-mannered or unmannerly, as you cannot say that men, as a body, are courteous or uncouth. Some newspapers are unmistakably vulgar, like some people. They are not so of themselves, however; they are made vulgar by vulgar people. There are very able newspapers which have very bad manners, and some which have no other distinction than good manners. A very dull man may be very urbane, and so may a very dull newspaper. On the other hand, a newspaper which is both brilliant and clever may be sometimes guilty of an injustice, a deliberate and persistent misrepresentation, to attain a particular end—conduct which is sometimes called 'journalistic.' But the person who is responsible for the performance, for similar conduct, would be metaphorically kicked out of a club. But gentlemen are not kicked out of clubs.

"A newspaper gains neither character nor influence by abandoning good manners. It may, indeed, make itself disagreeable and annoying, and so silence opposition, as a polecat may effectually close the wood-path which you had designed to take. It may be feared, and, in the same way as that animal—feared and despised. But this effect must not be confounded with newspaper power and influence. It is exceedingly annoying, undoubtedly, to be placarded all over town as a liar or a donkey, a hypocrite or a sneak-thief. But although the effect is most unpleasant, very little ability is required to produce it. A little paper and printing, a little paste, a great deal of malice and a host of bill stickers, are all that are needed, and even the pecuniary cost is not large. The effect is produced, but it does not show ability, or force, or influence upon the part of its producer.

"The manners of newspapers, as such, can not be classified any more than the manners of legislatures, or of the professions or trades. This, however, seems to be true, that a well-mannered man will not produce an ill-mannered newspaper.

A Point for You.

In view of what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for others, is it not reasonable to suppose that it will be of benefit to you? For Scrofula, Salt Rheum, and all other diseases of the blood, for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Loss of Appetite, That Tired Feeling, Catarrh, Malaria, Rheumatism, Hood's Sarsaparilla is an unequalled remedy.

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Under the auspices of the Centennial Methodist Church,

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PROGRAMME
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—OF THE—
British Columbia Jockey Club
Hastings Park, Vancouver, B.C.
September 16th, 1892.

Trotting and Pacing—For Stallions owned in the Province three months previous to day of race. Mile heats; 3 in 5. Purse, $200.

Trotting and Pacing, 2:40 Class—Mile heats; 3 in 5. Purse, $200.

Running—Half mile and repeat. Open. Purse $200.

Running—One mile single dash. Open. Purse $200.

Running—Half mile single dash. No horse allowed to compete that has already won public money. Purse, $100.

SEPTEMBER 17th, 1892.

Trotting and Pacing, 2 minute class—Purse, $200.

Trotting and Pacing—Open to all. Mile heats; 3 in 5. Purse, $400. Purse divided: 60 per cent., 25 per cent., 15 per cent.

Running—Mile and repeat. Open. Purse, $200.

Running—One mile and a quarter dash. Open. Purse, $200.

Trotting Race—For Gentlemen's Driving Horses. Must be driven by owner. No horse allowed to compete that has already won public money. Mile heats; 3 in 5. Prize, Cup, value $100. Entrance fee, $5.

Entries Close Saturday, September 10, 1892, with the Secretary.

Entrance Fees 10 Per Cent. of Purse.

For further particulars and entry forms address

W. CARGILL,
P.O. Box 217. Secretary, Vancouver.

Return Tickets from Victoria and Nanaimo at single fare available till 18th. au29-td

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Special accommodation for visitors.

Railway and Steamship lines will carry passengers and exhibits for single fare.

All entries will finally close on Saturday evening, 24th September.

Prize Lists and Entry Forms, etc., on application to

W. H. BAINBRIDGE,
Secretary,
au31 Jewell Block, Douglas St., Victoria.

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I. O. O. F. EXCURSION
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The magnificent
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SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
Superintendent.

D c.30.

VACCINATION

In order that vaccination may be carried out with dispatch, the medical men of the city have arranged with me to vaccinate all those who are unable to pay free of charge, and that those who can afford to pay, a charge of $1 will be made.

The public vaccinators of the city will vaccinate free all those who are in need of vaccinating.

A certificate of vaccination will be given in every case of where the vaccination has been successful.

G. L. MILNE, M.D., Health Officer.

Dr. POWELL

Has taken rooms in the building occupied by Dr. Duncan, No. 89 Fort street, where he may be consulted daily from 9:30 a.m. 12 m. jy18

FREE VACCINATION.

Persons wishing to be vaccinated may have it performed free of charge by calling upon Dr. Powell, 89 Fort street, or Dr. Milne, 36 Douglas street, between the hours of 10 a.m. to 12 m. and 5 to 6 p.m.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
jy18 Mayor.

FARM FOR SALE.

A FARM OF TWO HUNDRED ACRES ON West Saanich road, about eight miles from Victoria. Sixty acres good bottom land, forty acres cleared, well ditched and fenced. Price $30 per acre; half cash, balance on time. Apply to GEORGE LINDSAY, m29-tf 52 Third street Victoria

TO DRY GOODS MERCHANTS AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY:

James Allison, formerly proprietor of the Caledonian Dye House, has re-opened at 116 Yates St., under the name of the Paisley Dye Works, and will be glad of the patronage of his old customers. He is now in a position to take in Piece Goods and all kinds of Fancy Work. All work guaranteed. jy16-1m

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ma26-tf FRANK CAMPBELL.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED dry goods firms have agreed to close their places of business on Saturday afternoons from 1 to 6:30 p.m. during June, July and August:

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Argyle House	John Horner & Co.
Somerset House	H. Bickford
Whitaw Estate	T. Fowls

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LEGAL NOTICES.

In the matter of the goods of Byard Hamilton Sprung, deceased intestate, and in the matter of the Official Administrator's Act, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, the undersigned William Monteith, have been appointed under an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia dated 27th day of August, 1892, administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Byard Hamilton Sprung, deceased.

All parties indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to pay to me forthwith their said indebtedness, and those having claims there against are requested to present same to me within sixty days from this date.

Victoria, B.C., 29th August, 1892.
WM. MONTEITH,
au29-1w Official Administrator.

B.C. Pharmaceutical Association.

SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS.

The semi-annual examinations for the Licentiate of Pharmacy Certificate of this Association will be held on

Wednesday & Thursday, Oct. 5 & 6

Candidates must notify the Registrar, in writing, of their intention to present themselves for examination, before Sept. 21.

Candidates for registration on diplomas from some other Association must deposit the same with the Registrar before Sept. 7th.

Any further information as to place and time of examination may be obtained from

M. G. BLANCHARD,
Sec.-Registrar,
P.O. Box 592. a29t-21 Victoria, B.C.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

Steamship
Bushmills
Capt. Venning.
From Liverpool and Glasgow.

THE ABOVE VESSEL will commence discharging cargo at the outer wharf to-morrow morning. Consignees are requested to present bills of lading and pay freight at once to the undersigned. All goods left on the wharf after 5 p.m. each day will be stored at consignees' risk and expense.

ROBT. WARD & CO., LIMITED LIABILITY, Agents.
au26-3w 76 Wharf street.

MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS

The examination of candidates to practice medicine in this Province will take place in the city of Vancouver, beginning on Tuesday, the 6th September, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Particulars by applying to

G. L. MILNE,
a25-2w Secretary and Registrar.

CITY POUND NOTICE.

ONE GRAY HORSE, branded B on shoulder, also one Bay Horse, black points, gray spot on forehead, white streak on nose, will be sold at City Pound Saturday, September 10, at 12 o'clock noon, if not redeemed and pound charges paid on or before that date.

ANDREW SHAW,
au26 Poundkeeper.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned, carrying on business at No. 25½ Broad street, in the city of Victoria, B.C., under the name and style of Irving and Haywood, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Mr. Irving will continue the business at the same stand.

ROBERT IRVING.
21st Aug. 1892. a25-1m WM. C. HAYWOOD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days after date application will be made by the undersigned, to the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa for the permission to erect and extend a wharf on lots 11, 12, 13 and 14, Block I, Victoria West Park, Fronting on Victoria Harbor. Plans showing the situation of the proposed wharf have been deposited with the Minister of Public Works, Ottawa, and in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C. This notice is given in terms of 49 Victoria, Chapter 35 Sec. 2, of the Revised Statutes of Canada.

VICTOR JACKOBSON.
Victoria, B.C., 15th August, 1892. au19 31t

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Board at its next sitting for a transfer to James Rollin of the license held by me for the sale of wines and other fermented and intoxicating liquors upon the premises known as the White Horse, on Humboldt street, in the city of Victoria.

au913-1m JOHN WALSH.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

WE HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that until a suitable place is furnished by the mayor and council at which night soil can be disposed of, we will discontinue to remove any from the city cesspools.

JOHN DOHERTY.
au301-3t PETER HANSEN.

NOTICE.

POSITIVELY NO SHOOTING at Cloverdale Farm. Treespassers will be prosecuted.
au30-1m J. W. TOLMIE.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

The bridge on the Gorge Road, the second one from Government street, is closed by order of the Council.

E. A. WILMOT,
au22 City Engineer.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Corporation of the City of Victoria will not be responsible for any liability in connection with "The Board of Health," which has not been authorized by the Chairman of the Finance Committee, Alderman John B. Lovell.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
July 30, 1892. Clerk Municipal Council.
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To the Board of Licensing Commissioners:

I THE UNDERSIGNED CARLO BOSSI, OF the Osborne House, Pandora street, in the city of Victoria, hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners to be held on Wednesday, the 14th day of September next, for a license to sell wines, spirits, beer and other fermented and intoxicating liquors by retail in a certain building used or intended to be used for an hotel, and containing upwards of 30 rooms, and which said building is known as "The Osborne House," and is situate and and built on Lot 149 in the city of Victoria, at the corner of Pandora and Blanchard streets in the said city of Victoria.

Dated this 2nd day of August, 1892.
au8-td CARLO BOSSI.

Estate of William Hall Paine, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Supreme Court of British Columbia has granted probate of the will of William Hall Paine, deceased, to John Graham Cox, one of executors therein the named, power being reserved of making the like grant to William Purdy Lindley, the other executor mentioned in the said will.

All persons indebted to or having claims against the estate, or who have any of the effects of the deceased, are notified to forthwith make payment or delivery as the case may be, to John Graham Cox of Wharf street, Victoria, B.C.

Dated the 5th day of August, 1892.
S. PERRY MILLS,
46 Langley street, Victoria.
au5-1m Solicitor for the Executor.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of Alfred V. Stronach, deceased, late of Victoria, are hereby requested to present the same, duly attested, within one month. Persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and those having any personal effects belonging to the estate will please deliver the same to

A. B. STRONACH,
Administrator.
Victoria, B.C., Aug. 11th, 1892. au11-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days after date application will be made by the Brackman & Ker Milling Co., Limited, to the Governor in Council and to the Minister of Public Works for permission to construct a wharf situated on section XXX, Shoal Point, Victoria City, fronting on Victoria harbor. Plans of the situation of the proposed wharf have been deposited with the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, and at the Registry Office, Victoria.

Dated this 8th day of August, 1892.
D. R. KER,
au8-tf Manage .

Estate of Ira Wilson, Deceased.

All claims against the above estate are to be handed in to the executors, Messrs. George Deans and William Whittaker, who will collect all outstanding debts owing to the estate, which must be settled forthwith. All accounts must be certified and handed in to the undersigned under cover to the above named executors.

JOHN J. AUSTIN,
63 Government Street, Victoria.
Victoria, B. C., June 2, 1892. ju7-tf

TAKE NOTICE that we, George Shea and James McLeod shall apply to the Licensing Court to be held in and for the city of Victoria on the second Wednesday in the month of September, 1892, for a transfer of the retail liquor license now held by us at the premises known as the American Hotel, Yates street, in the city of Victoria, situated upon portion of Victoria City Lot No. 246, to William Shewan and Robert Menaugh, both of Yates street in the city of Victoria, for the sale of malt and spirituous liquors by retail at the said premises hereinbefore mentioned.

Dated the 3rd day of August, 1892.
GEO. SHEA,
au5 JAMES McLEOD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the next regular sitting of the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria, we shall apply for a hotel keeper's license for the premises situated on part of Lot 8 82, in the City of Victoria, known as the New England Hotel, Government street, in the said City of Victoria.

Dated 5th August, 1892.
M. YOUNG
au5-1m LOUIS TOUCH

TO DEPOSITORS

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The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

Dec. 30.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Steamer Hope brought in a boom of logs yesterday.

The Maude leaves for Alberni to-morrow evening.

A scowload of lumber, 4000 feet, for building purposes, was towed from the city over to Pedder Bay to-day.

The new steel clipper American will sail from Liverpool about October 15th for Victoria. Turner, Beeton & Co. are the consignees.

The R.M.S. Empress of Japan arrived from Vancouver last night about 10 o'clock. The steamer Maude took out the Victoria freight and passengers.

There was a thick fog on the straits last evening, hiddering shipping to a considerable extent. The Empress of Japan outward bound, was one of the detained at Esquimalt.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Hugh Grant, of Valdez Island, is in the city.

Thos. H. Glaholm, of Nanaimo, is in the city,

E. G. Anderson has returned from a trip east.

F. B. Gregory leaves for the East to-morrow morning.

J. Campbell and J. A. Fullerton, of Vancouver, are in town.

Miss D. Cameron left for San Francisco last evening, overland.

Henry Drumm, P. A. Paulson and W. B. Allen, of Tacoma, are at the Driard.

E. E. Blackwood went over to the Sound last night and will return to-morrow.

Rev. W. W. Percival, formerly of this city and now of Richmond Hill, Ont., is in the city.

Victor Mitchell, who was hurt some time ago in a runaway accident, is improving, but will not be out for some time.

E. G. Anderson returned last night from a two-months' trip to the East. He visited New York, Boston, Montreal, Toronto and Hamilton, and says he had a splendid time.

THE "TOTEM POLE."

Legends and Traditions of the Alaska Indians.

W. Duncan, superintendent and manager of the Metlakahtla Indian reservation, furnished the following information to a representative of the Seattle Telegraph:

Whence these legends,
These traditions?

There are, or were, four large and important tribes in Alaska, the names of which, in the Tsimshean language, are Kish-poot-wadda, by far the most numerous hereabouts, have for symbols the fin-back whale in the sea, the grizzly bear on land, the grouse in the air and the sun and stars. The next clan, known as the Canadda, have for symbols the frog, the raven, the star fish and the bullhead. The Lacheboo, another clan, had the heron and the grizzly bear for totems. Lackshkeak, the eagle, the beaver and the halibut.

These creatures, however, are only regarded as the visible representatives of the powerful and mystical beings or genii of Indian mythology, and as all of one group are said to be of the same kindred, so all the members of the same class, whose heraldic symbols are the same, are counted as blood relations, and strange to say, this relationship holds good should the persons belong to different or even hostile tribes, or speak a different language or be located thousands of miles apart and this relationship is perpetuated in the face of obliterating circumstances. The Indians point back to a remote age when their ancestors lived in a beautiful land and where in a mysterious manner the mythical creatures, whose symbols they retain, revealed themselves to the heads of the families of that day.

They relate the traditional story of an overwhelming flood which came and submerged the good land and spread death and destruction all around. Those of the ancients who escaped in canoes were drifted about and scattered in every direction on the face of the waters, and where they found themselves after the flood had subsided there they located and staked out their "pre-emption" claims and formed new tribal associations.

Thus it was that persons related by blood became widely severed from each other. Nevertheless they retained and clung to the symbols which had distinguished them and their respective families before the flood. Hence the crests have continued to mark the offspring of the original founders of each family.

It may interest our readers to know to what practical uses the natives apply their crests.

First—Crests subdivide tribes into social clans, and a union of crests is a closer bond than a tribal union.

Second—It is the ambition of all leading members of each clan in the several tribes to represent their rank by carving or painting their heraldic symbols on all their belongings, not omitting their household utensils, and on the death of the head of a family a totem pole was erected in front of his house by his successor, on which is carved and painted more or less elaborately the symbolic creatures of his clan.

Third—The crests define the bounds of consanguinity, and persons having the same crest are forbidden to intermarry; that is, a frog cannot marry a frog, nor a whale marry a whale, but a frog may marry a wolf and a whale marry an eagle.

Fourth—All the children take the mother's crest and are incorporated as members of the mother's family, nor do they designate or regard their father's family as their relations, and therefore an Indian's heir or successor is not his own son but his sister's son, and in case of a woman being married into a distant tribe away from her relations the offspring of such union when grown up will leave their parents and go to their mother's tribe.

Fifth—The clan relationship also regulates all feasting. A native invites the members of his own crest to a feast, they being regarded as his blood relations, are always welcome as his guests, but at feasts, which are only given for display, all the clansmen within reasonable distance are expected to contribute of their means and their services gratuitously to make the feast a success, for on the fame of the feast hangs the honor of the clan.

Sixth—This social brotherhood has much to do with promoting hospitality among the Indians. A stranger with or without his family, in visiting an Indian village, needs be at no loss for shelter; he at once goes to the house belonging to one of his crest, which he can easily distinguish by the totem pole in front of it. There he is sure of a hearty welcome and will be received as a brother and trusted and treated as such.

Seventh—Another prominent use of the heraldic symbols is that they take their names from them, viz.: Wee-nay-ach (whale), lee-tahm-tavu (eagle), iksh-co-am-alyah (raven). etc.

These relations tend to foster peace and discourage wars, and though the tribes in Alaska are civilized or nearly so, they retain their crest distinctions.

Antiquity of Oddfellowship.

The question is often asked by the uninitiated: "What is the origin of the title of Oddfellows borne by members of the order?" The board of directors answered this question as far back as 1842, in the course of a reply addressed by them to some Americans who were desirous of obtaining information in reference to Oddfellowship. The following passage may therefore be accepted as authoritative: "The origin of the order is of antique date. It was first established by the Roman soldiers in camp, after the order of the Israelites, during the reign of Nero, the Roman Emperor, in the year of grace 55, at which time they were called Fellow-citizens. The name of Oddfellows was given to this order of men in the year 79 by Titus Cæsar, from the singularity of their notions, and for their knowing each other by night as well as by day; and for their fidelity to him as well as their country, he not only gave them the name of Oddfellows, but at the same time, as a pledge of his friendship, presented them with a dispensation, engraved upon a plate of gold, having the following emblems, viz., the Royal Arch of Titus and the Ark of the Covenant, the Golden Candlesticks and Table weighing a great Talent, the Sun for the Noble Grand, the Moon and Stars for the Vice-Grand, the Lamb for the Secretary, the Lion for the Guardian, the Dove for the Warden, and the Emblems of Mortality for the Grand Master."

Somebody in for It

FRESNO, Cal., Sept. 1.—At an early hour this morning it leaked out that an arrest would be made some time to-day, and that the man to be arrested would be charged with the murder of Farmer McWhiter. Police officers left for a ranch 25 miles from here, this morning, to make the arrest.

THE TURF.

ALMOST INCREDIBLE.

INDEPENDENCE, Iowa, Aug. 31.—Nancy Hanks trotted a mile on the Kite track here to-day in two minutes, five and a quarter seconds, reducing her own world startling record by two seconds flat.

A Taciturn Judge.

Sir William Grant, who was Master of the Rolls at the beginning of the present century, was a native of Banffshire, and for a considerable time represented that county in Parliament. Though a most forcible and easy speaker, scarcely inferior to any of his time, he was remarkable for his extreme taciturnity, and the wits of the bar were accustomed to allude to him among themselves as Sir William the Silent. He was an extremely able lawyer, and one of the most patient and painstaking of judges. The story is well known of his hearing an elaborate and lengthened argument for two days, on the meaning of an Act of Parliament, and when the counsel finished, simply saying:—"Gentlemen, the act on which the pleading has been founded is repealed." On one of his visits to Banff he rode out into the country, accompanied by some friends. The only observation that escaped from him was in passing a field of peas, "Very fine peas." Next day he rode out with the same cortege, and equally silent; but on passing the same spot, he remarked, "And very finely podded too."

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McCOSKRIE—In this city on Sept. 1st, Achsah M. McCoskrie, aged 41 years, beloved wife of Capt. E. McCoskrie.

The funeral will take place to-morrow, Friday, Sept. 2nd, at 2 p.m., from the family residence, No. 45 Montreal street.

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